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WALDO T. BRUBAKER'S TWO YEARS OF SUCCESS WITH WINDSOR HOTEL

AN INTERESTING SKETCH OF ONE OF PHILADELPHIA'S OLDEST AS WELL AS MOST MODERH HOTELS AND HOW IT HAPPENED—A VERITNBLE HOUSE IN ORDER, WHERE TACT AND OPTIMISM HAVE PAVED THE WAY TO FINANCIAL SUCCESS AND PROMINENCE.

No clearer demonstration of the virtue of fair dealing and enterprise could be presented than that afforded by the success which has come to the Windsor Hotel, Thirteenth and Filbert streets, under the management of Waldo T. Brubaker.

WINDSOR ONE OF THE OLDEST.

Mr. Brubaker assumed the management of the Windsor in 1907, and every year since that date has seen the hostelry add to its facilities and advance in public esteem.

THE WINDSOR HOTEL

The history and development of the Windsor are typical of changes that have occurred in the development of Philadelphia and surrounding country. In 1860 the hotel was known as the Smedley House. In those days, and for many years afterward, the hostelry was conducted after the manner of a country tavern, and was known far and wide among farmers and rural townsmen of Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Maryland.

A wide porch ran along the front of the building and extensive, commodious stables stood in the rear. Many of the hotel's patrons drove many miles from rural districts and were glad to find in the heart of the business section a "tavern" which made good the ancient caravansary inscription, "Food and Shelter for Man and Beast."

In the early sixties Preston J. Moore took a lease on the building from the Smedley Estate, but made no important changes in the management until several years later. In 1901 another reorganization took place and the hotel was managed by the Windsor Real Estate Company, controlled by the Smedley Estate.

The world had moved forward several degrees by the opening of the twentieth century, and so had the Windsor Hotel. Railroads and trolley lines reaching into odd corners of outlying country provided countrymen new means of transportation and long jonrneys with Dobbin and Dan at the pole grew yearly less frequent. But the farmers and small townsmen continued to visit Philadelphia, and they likewise continued to make the Windsor their headquarters. To-day you will find men and women whirled here by lightning express putting up at "the old Smedley House" whose parents and grand-parents journeyed to the same mecca half a century ago by routes and methods which consumed days.

CONSTANTLY ENLARGED.

So much for the Windsor as it was. To-day it stands one of the largest and best equipped houses in Philadelphia. The building has been constantly added to in recent years, the latest addition being a large building adjoining at the left, the first floor of which has been converted into a private dining room large enough to accommodate an immense company. The floor is of polished hardwood, making the room easily convertible into a dance hall. This room is in two sections, and communicates with the upper floors and kitchen by private stairways and halls.

In the basement is a private ice-making plant and the largest hotel power plant but one in Philadelphia. Here also is located the bakery which furnished the table with fresh bread and pastry at all hours, and in defiance of external conditions.

Under the management of Mr. Brubaker the quality of the cuisine has been advanced to meet the most exacting modern demands. Banqueters have come to recognize the excellence of the service and constitute a regular patronage.

In discussing class patronage it is interesting to find that New England tourists are conspicuous among the guests at the Windsor. Returning pilgrims from "Classic America" have spread broadcast the story of the Windsor among the Puritans, and the number of Down East guests is each year multiplied. The homelike atmosphere of the old Smedley House still clings to the Windscr, however, and the hosts of country merchants who constantly patronize the place proves again how prone is humanity to follow in the footsteps of its fathers—if those footsteps have been well considered.

THE WINDSOR'S LOCATION.

The Windsor is advertised as being "midway between the two great railroad terminals," and this in itself is one reason why this comfortable and inviting house claims such a generous patronage among the commercial men of the country. Being near to the business whirl, the center of the city vortex, the Windsor is yet in a quiet, clean neighborhood, while traffic roars and rumbles on all sides not a square away.

MR. BRUBAKER'S PERSONALITY.

Success in a large measure has come to the Windsor through the personality of Mr. Brubaker. The prime component of success is, we believe, courtesy. Mr. Brubaker has the tact and way, in his treatment, of all those doing business with the hotel, from guest down to the veriest office boy, and consequently none ever have a fear of getting the "icy shivers" or the "I don't know-you" sort of stare when they enter the Windsor exchange.

Mr. Brubaker has surrounded himself with a thorough and efficient staff from the front to the kitchen. The dining room is a joy to partake of a meal in, while the rooms in the house have an air of downright home comfort, thoroughly in keeping with the ancient and honorable reputation of the house of Brubaker.

Birthday Post Card Shower and Surprise Party.

To say that our venerable citizen, Mr. Daniel Downey, of West Fifth street, was surprised on July 2nd, it being hs 73th birthday, would be putting it mildly. On going to the post office in the morning he found 75 post cards from friends and relatives residing out of town. All day long, as each train arrived, they continued to come until over 150 had been received. In the evening the following bunch, took possession of his home and enjoyed themselves in social chat and games until a late hour, when lunch was served. "Dan" had to take his "strap oil." When Jake Huffman could get out of the clutches of Mrs. J. R. Hamilton and Mrs. Belle Beattie, all departed for their homes, wishing Mr. Downey many happy birthdays. The following guests were present:

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gross, Jacob Huffman, H. J. Sassman, Geo. L. Day, J. R. Hamilton, E. H. Gregory, W. S. Lingle, A. J. Turley, C. L. Martin, Mesdames Sadie Dalphy, Nellie Nye, Belle Beattie, Robt. Faucette, A. J. More, F. H. Shaffer, Sarah Jessop, Miss Ida Baker, Miss Margaret Hamilton.

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The PRESS certainly extends its hearties congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Downey, who for many years have been respected citizens of Emporium.

Sousa Comes to Emporium, Monday, July 26th.

Not the great bandmaster, but the representative of one of New York's Greatest Coat and Suit Houses. He will exhibit his splendid fall line of Ladies and Misses Coats, Suits and Rain Coats, at the store of Mr. R. Kuehne The ladies of Emporium, and surrounding towns, are invited to attend. This is a chance to select your New Fall Suit or Coat from one of the finest lines made in New York. You can have the garmehts made to your measure and have them delivered whenever convenient. Don't forget to attend the fine style show, Monday, July 26th, at Emporium's Greatest Store.

Sudden Death.

Rev. Schriner, pastor of Free Methodist Church, received sad news last Saturday, a wire informing him of the sudden death of his mother, in her 67th year. Rev. S., and family left for Mercer, Pa., on Saturday's Flyer to attend the funeral.

Mason Re-Union.

There will be a meeting of the committee on arrangments for the Mason Re-union at Driftwood, July 24th, at 4:00 p. m. Anyone interested may attend.

$5.00 reward offered for the information that will lead to the detection of any merchant that ever offered a better value in stationery. 100 pieces of the finest style sold at Taggart's for 35 cents.

Cedar Shingles $4.50 per thousand at C. B. Howard & Co's.

Monster Timber Tract.

Mr. E. D. Brink came to Emporium on the 11th to visit with the family of M. J. MacKay on Clear Creek, at their cozy and beautiful farm-home, after spending some time in Kanloope, B. C., inspecting a large tract of timber covering sixty-eight square miles, owned by E. V. Dunlevie, of Buffalo, but formerly engaged in lumbering in this county. This will be one of the most extensive operations in British Columbia when the two railroads, now being located, are constructed. Ed. left on Monday, accompanied by his wife for Walthousville, Ga., to take a responsible situation with Mr. Dunlevie. We congratulate our friend upon his rapid rise as an expert lumberman. Of course the PRESS follows them.

On Bridal Trip.

William H. Sipple, of Glendora, Cal., accompanied by his bride, are visiting relatives in Emporium, guests of Adolphus Martin and wife, Third street. The happy couple are enjoying our beautiful scenery and climate. Mr. Sipple will be pleasantly remembered by many as the son of K. C. Sipple, formerly residents of Howard. They left here several years ago for Glendora, Cal., where they are engaged in the contracting business. The PRESS was favored by a call and enjoyed the pleasant gentleman's visit very much. After visiting New York city and other eastern cities they will return home via St. Paul, Minn., where Mrs. Sipple's parents now reside.

Royally Entertained.

The L. C. B. A., ladies were royally entertained on last Thursday evening, July 15th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gallenmiller. The evening was spent in playing cards and at a late hour dainty refreshments were served. The porch was artistically decorated with jack o'lanters, which made their mountain home appear as a fairy's bower. At a 'wee sma' hour all departed for their homes. Many thanks for you hospitality. This was the seventh of a series of parties, having been entertained at the homes of Mrs. Patrick Burke, Secretary; Mrs. Jas. Welsh, President; Mrs. R. Kelley, Mrs. F. X. Blumle, Mrs. B. Egan and Mrs. Ed. Blinzler. Whose turn next? XX

On Big Fishing Trip.

Henry O. Haupt and family left on Wednesday to visit relatives at Williamsport, Elmira, Watkins Glen and Penn Yan, after which they go to Sodus Bay, where they have rented a cottage. Hon. Geo. J. LaBar and wife, accompanied by their grand-children, will join them next week for a short visit. The Judge is a great fisherman and has become a very interesting "s tory tei ler."

Gone to Buffalo.

Miss Hattie Berfield, who has been a great sufferer for a long time, was taken to Buffalo last Saturday to enter a hospital for another operation. This poor young lady has indeed been a great sufferer. Her mother and Miss Louise Becker, (whose home is at Buffalo), who has been visiting here for some time returned with her.

First Methodist Episcopal Church.

Next Sunday at 10:30 a.m. the pastor, Rev. J. F. Anderson will take for the subject of his discourse, "Completeness in Christ," at 7:30 p. m., "Doing His Will." Class meeting at 9:30; Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.; Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.

Pleasant Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, of Pittsburg, who are guests of Mrs. Fisher and family, at Howard, visited in Emporium last Saturday, guests of W. H. Cramer and family. Mr. B., is a clerk in a railroad office at Pittsburg, under Thos. Gallagher's brother. They recently visited at New Yotk, Philadelphia and Washington and left here for Niagara Falls.

Band of Promise.

The Band of Promise of the Presbyterian Church Sunday School will conduct an ice cream sale on the lawn of the church, next Saturday evening, July 24th.

Don't Fail.

The Y. M. W. B., will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Craven, Rich Valley, Thursday afternoon, July 29th, 1909. You are all invited to attend. Be sure and come.

Y. M. W. B.

Writing paper and its selection, denotes the character of an individul. Try 50 sheets and 50 envelopes at Taggart's for thirty-five cents.

Fruit season is here, but Granulated Sugar the same, 25 pound sack for $1.45 at C. B. Howard & Co's.

BIG ORDER FOR PAVING BRICK

Million and Half Order for Calder Brick Secured.

W. H. G. Walker, the hustling manager of Penn Vitrified Brick Co., has captured an order for a 1,500,000 paving brick. This with other orders coming their way will keep "Calder" paving and building brick going this summer. This popular brick is the best in the United States and stands up against all comers. Mud roads and all other apologies for roads, are rapidly being pushed aside, as a useless waste of money. How long will Emporium tax payers, in fact every township in the county, continue to throw away the people's money on mud streets and roads.

Seriously Injured.

John Norris, who is employed in Elk Tanning Co's roller room, at this place, met with a painful accident on Tuesday, while placing a piece of plank under the rollers, the plank flew out, striking him on the right side of his face, cutting and seriously injuring his right jaw. Dr. H. S. Falk was called and after relieving him as much as possible ordered him taken to Williamsport Hospital, which was done at once, the Elk Tanning Company sending the injured employee on afternoon train, accompanied by Jas. Wright. Dr. McCormick promptly took the case in hand upon their arrival at the hospital and removed a large piece of bone fram Norris' upper jaw. He is getting along nicely and will remain there until sent home.

Badly Shaken Up.

While D. A. Skinner and wife were returning home last Friday morning they met with an accident that will lay up Mrs. Skinner for some time. Just as they were about to take the Bryan Hill road at Emporinm Powder works, the horses ran away and threw Mrs. Skinner down the steep embankment, severely cutting her head and otherwise injuring her. Mr. Skinner had gotten out of the rig when the accident happened. Dr. H. S. Falk is attending her and she is resting easy but is very lame.

Merry Maidens' and Lads' Club.

Last Tuesday, a number of our young lads and lassies enjoyed the pleasures of a pfc-nic in Kenley's Grove, near Keystone Park and, of course, they had a lovely time. The party was composed of Misses Avis Dodson, Margaret Klees, Kathryn Egan, Virginia Cleary, Corienne Cleary, Leona Swanson, Anna Egan, Violet Swanson, Margaret Kenley, Bertha Kenley, Helen Kenley and Master Fritz Kenley. It was a jolly nice time.

Carriage Collapses.

Last Sunday evenlng Jos. Streich, one of Shippen Township's Path Masters, met with an accident while driving home with his wife and two children. When near Hon. F. X. Blumle's residence one of the wheels on the vehicle collapsed, throwing out the occupants, Mrs. Streich injuring her spine very seriously. The lady is confined to her bed, under Dr. Bush's care.

Emmanuel Church Services.

July 25, Seventh Sunday after Trinity.

8 a. m., Holy Communion.

10:30 a. m., Morning Prayer and Litany.

7:30 p. m., Evening Prayer.

LOST.

Between Frank Shives' store and Ed. Rogers' farm on West Creek, a bunch of keys. Finder will please leave same at the residence of W. D. White, Emporium, Pa.

Making Improvements.

Hon. Josiah Howard has a large crew of men at work brushing and improving the appearance of Keystone Park. Beautiful spot.

Girl Wanted.

A girl wanted at once at City Hotel to do chambermaid work.

Another Big Order.

The Keystone Powder Co., last week were given another large order for dynamite by Uncle Sam. It has been filled already and shipped. Good.

Emanuel Sunday School Pic-Nic.

The annual picnic of Emmanuel Sunday school wil be held at Sizerville Wednesday afternoon, July 28th.

Nothing in the line of Canned Goods, Meats, Fish or Fruits but you can get at C. B. Howard & Co's.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

MURRAY.

It is certainly with regret that we chronicle the death of one of our old and highly respected citizens, Mr. James Murray. For several years he has been an invalid, yet he herorically continued to follow his occupation until compelled to give up, owing to heart failure and a terrible case of asthma. His suffering was fierce but ended all on Saturday morning last, surrounded by his faithful wife and children, when his spirit passed to that beautiful shore.

Deceased, who was born in Ireland 61 years ago; came to America with his parents when quite a lad, and worked in New York City until 1867, when he came to this county, working at Sterling Run Tannery, where we first made his acquaintance. We highly respected him and valued his friendship to the time of his death. In 1872 he came to Emporium and faithfully served the Emporium Tannery Company for twenty-three years as fireman and engineer. On Sept. 15th, 1879 he met his bosom friend's sister and married Miss Margaret Glenn. Thinking one good turn deserved another, Mr Glenn hied away to York State and came back with Mr. Murray's sister as his bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray reared a family of five children, viz: Mrs. Nellie Butler, Peter, Mary, Margaret and John—all respected ladies and young men.

The last sad rites at St. Mark's Catholic Church, Tuesday morning were largely attended and impressive.

Those who attended the funeral of deceasd, from out of town, were: Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Kline, Mr. Sam'l Kline, Jr., Miss Anna Lysett, Mrs. Dan'l MacDonald, Williamsport; Mr. Thos. Cavanaugh, St. Marys; Mrs. Thos. May, Mr. R. P. McNulty, Ridgway; Mr. John W. Conroy, Buffalo.

Our citizens deeply feel for the afflicted wife and children and the fact that the departed held the esteem of all during the many years residence here is a record they can point to with pride. James Murray was the soul of honor, quiet, industrious and frugal. Our mind passes back over the many years of friendship that existed between the deceased and the writer. He was a true friend; we respected and valued his friendship. We mourn his death and know he is happy, for Holy Writ says, "Blessed are those who die in the Lord."

A Jolly Straw Ride.

The first straw ride of the season was participated in by a jolly crowd of young folks last Thursday evening. Upon arrival at the pleasant grounds at Sizerville a bounteous repast was served and enjoyed by all. The dampness of the evening did not put a damper on the spirits of the young folks. All report a tip-top time.

Those in attendance were: Lola Beck, Mildred Haupt, Mabel Hilliard, Emmr Welsh, Beatrice Jordan, Nancy Spence, Marion Laughlin and Mabel Madison, Messrs. Max Spence, Dorr Spencer, Carl Metz, Wm. Welsh, Rolland Palmer, James Ulmer, Herkie Jones and Fred Haupt.

Going Back to Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Converse are packing their household goods, preparatory to moving to Carthage, Mo., their former home. Mr. C., has for two or more years been glycerine maker at Emporium Powder plant and his health has failed him, caused from inhaling the fumes. Their many friends hope the change and rest may be beneficial to Mr. Converse and that he may return to Emporium at some future time fully restored. The best wishes of the PRESS and all who are acquainted with them goes with them.

Notice to Water Consumers.

To Water Consumers of the Emporium Water Company:

All taps at sinks, wash basins, water closets, baths, etc., must be closed, when not in actual use and must not be allowed to leak.

If our inspectors find any violations of the rule governing the water regulations, particularly the wasting of water through leaky fixtures or otherwise, the supply will be shut off from sach premises without further notice.

EMPORIUM WATER COMPANY.

Agreeable Caller.

The PRESS office enjoyed very much a call, yesterday afternoon, from Mr. Samuel J. Kline, one of the proprietors of the New Federal Hotel, Williamsport. Of course his family reads the Great Family Paper—the PRESS—weekly.

THE WEATHER.

FRIDAY, Showers.
SATURDAY, Fair.
SUNDAY, Fair.

ASSETS

First National Bank,

EMPORIUM, PA.

At the close of business, July 21, 1909.

$833,766.58.

YOU PAID.

The fact that you pay your bills by giving checks on this Bank not only helps to build up your credit but also avoids trouble over disputed payments.

$1.00 Starts an Account.

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Emporium, Pa. 12y

E. O. BARDWELL, M. D.,
Rockwell Block, Emporium, Pa.
Hours: 8:00 a. m., 1:00 to 3:00 and 7:00 to 8 p. m

Early Resumption!

We are pleased to learn that the Iron Furnace operations will resume Aug. 1st. Of course it will take some time to make repairs, possibly two or three weeks. This will be cheering news to our citizens.

Active operations at the coal mines are now appearing. Surveyors and prospectors being at work on the Noyes and Duffy and Pardee lands. We do not have the facts, of latter project, for publication.

NOTES OF INTEREST.

Post cards at Bair's studio until Aug. 1st, for $1.00 a dozen.

Get a hustle on and come out nex Saturday and "root" for the home team, at Keystone Park.

The Emporium base ball team defeated the Port Allegany team on Tuesday afternoon, at the park 10 to 5.

Wanted every women in Cameron county to purchase the first box of Windsor Linen Writing Paper. Containing 50 sheets and 50 envelopes for 35 cents at Taggart's drug store.

If you are interested in a good school, it will pay you to write to the Lock Haven Normal School for a copy of its handsome new catalog. In equipment and faculty and in its social enviroment, it is an ideal school. The fall term begins September 6th.

There is only a little difference between the positions occupied by Senators Cummins and Aldrich, respectively. One wants to have the Tariff revised by the Republican Congress and the other wants it revised by the faction that has been howling for Democratic revision for the past several years.—Aulta, (Io.) Republican.

The Lock Haven State Normal School completed the most prosperous year in its history. The graduating class numbered one hundred and it was a fine body of young people. It is gratifying to note that all who desire to teach have schools. The Normal School is one of the best in the state. Write for a catalog.

Money refunded and cash prize offered to any person that ever purchased a similar value in style or quantity offered in stationary at any store in Emporium. 100 pieces 35 cents.

G. C. TAGGART.

Cameron County Sabbath School Association.

District Rally, Sizerville, Sunday, July 25th at 2:30 p. m.

PROGRAMME.

1. Organ Voluntary,.....Miss Vera Olmsted
2. Song Service, conducted by Rev. J. L. Bogue
3. Greeting from President, Hon. Josiah Howard
4. Contralto Solo, selected, Miss Myrtle Olmsted
5. Address,.....Rev. J. F. Anderson
6. Offering.
7. Hymn.
8. Address.....Rev. J. M. Robertson
9. Contralto Solo, selected, Miss Myrtle Olmsted
10. Benediction.

A cordial invitation is extended to all friends of the Sunday School. Come and enjoy the afternoon with us.

Partial to Michigan Girls.

It is rumored that Floyd Felt, son of J. Pitt Felt, is to be married in the very near future to a Michigan lady. The Felt boys are partial to Mich., girls, all but Dr. Leon R. Felt having secured their wives in that state.

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Obituary notices over five lines, 10 cents per line. Simple announcements of births, marriages and deaths will be inserted free.

Business cards, five lines or less, $5 per year; over five lines, at the regular rates of advertising.

No local inserted for less than 75 cents per issue.

JOB PRINTING.

The Job department of the PRESS is complete and affords facilities for doing the best class of work. PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO LAW PRINTING.

No paper will be discontinued until arrearages are paid, except at the option of the publisher.

Papers sent out of the county must be paid for in advance.

Chance for a Bet.

Atchison people seem determined to force a certain bachelor to marry. For 20 years they have been "talking" about him, and wondering if he is going to marry this one or that one. Why can't people let the poor man alone? If he wants to be a bachelor, whose business is it? Every time he "goes" with a new girl, Atchison people begin betting on the result. (And incidentally we will bet five to one that his present steady doesn't land him.)—Atchison Globe.

Bagged a White Tigress.

From India comes a story of an Albino tigress: A white tigress, eight feet eight inches in length, has been shot at Dhenkana state, Orisso. The ground color was pure white and the stripes were of a deep reddish black. The skin has been presented to the rajah of Dhenkana, who has had it mounted and placed in his palace. The hunters of that country say that it is the only white tiger they have seen.

Fate of the Spanish Woman.

Evelyn Mitford, writing in the Queen, says that the women of the lower classes in Spain do not make calls nor read books, and have no "parties" in the American sense of the word. They do their household work and go to church, and that is all there is of life to them. Their husbands are very jealous of them, and they grow old and weary before their time.

A Poet's Work.

A letter by Robert Southey, just discovered, contains the lament that everybody reads poetry but no one buys it. In this age people do not even read it, but they continue to read "The Story of the Three Bears" without knowing it was originated by the great poet.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Has Poetry Enough; Wants Wood.

We have on hand more poetry than we can find room for. What we need is more wood. It is true the poetry is pretty wooden, but it doesn't fling out the warmth of oak and pine. We therefore prefer an ordinary load of wood to a cord of poetry.—Adams (Ga.) Enterprise.

Keep Character Unspotted.

If you would have the respect, not to mention the confidence, of your fellows, you must keep the cloak of character virgin white; never allow its luster to be dimmed by the breath of suspicion or soiled by the mud of wrongdoing.—Dr. Madison C. Peters.

His Vain Regret.

A Duluth four-year-old hopeful, who was receiving an application of the corrective rod, looked up to his offended mother, who had told him of his pre-historic whereabouts, and said: "Oh, mamma, I wish I'd stayed in heaven!"

Loss Without Consolation.

The consolation in losing a vermiform appendix is that a man can go through life, after the operation, and no one can tell by his appearance that he is something short. But when it comes to losing hair, it is different.

A Bad Taste, Perhaps.

Did you ever notice how much more homely a crowd looks to you on some days than on some others? It is a fact, however, strange as it may seem. And, noticing it, did you ever take anything for it?

The Argument.

"When you come to figurin' in de loss ob time, temper an' mebbe friendship," said Uncle Eben, "It's mighty hahd foh anybody to say foh certain dat he has had de best of an argyment."

Maybe He Does.

When we remember that a woodpecker often works his way into a tree with his bill, we wonder that a woodpecker doesn't have headache constantly.—Atchison Globe.

And So Many Do.

"Dar ain' no doubt," said Uncle Eben, "dat money does mo' harm dan good to a man dat regards it simply as a license to git proud an' foolish."

Shoes of Ancient Jews.

Shoes among the ancient Jews were made of leather, linen, rush, or wood; and soldiers' shoes were sometimes made of brass or iron.

TAFT AT THE HELM

REVEALS HIS BREADTH OF COMPREHENSION.

Country Will Welcome His Entry Into the Sphere of Practical Legislation—Measures of Broad Scope in Prospect.

Whatever may be the views entertained of the specific position of President Taft on the subject of a corporation tax, and these views differ without regard to party lines, his disposition to take a hand in legislation and to disclose his policies is viewed with general interest and wide approval. Mr. Taft confessed during the campaign to lack of technical knowledge of the tariff, and he has contented himself with adhering to his original stand that the revision should be mostly downward, and that it should be productive of sufficient revenues for the country. There are very many persons who think that the revision of the schedules might very well be made with regard to revenues and still show a general grading down of the tariff in harmony with the president's position. He thus has the hearty support of all who believe in his campaign stand. That he should go farther and advocate a tax on corporations is an exercise of his discretion, the propriety of which is beyond question. Those who differ with him upon this matter may yet be glad that he has shown the breadth of comprehension that his friends have always claimed in his behalf. He has shown ability and disposition to analyze and to estimate the effect of such a measure, whatever may be the merits of his final deductions.

Yet this is only one of the measures of broad scope in which the president proposes to show his hand. He is already preparing to make clear his interest in broad industrial legislation. In due time he will express himself upon the subject near to his predecessor's heart—over-capitalization by interstate corporations. This will be one of the policy-framing measures of Mr. Taft, and will disclose his grasp of the public-relations of incorporated concerns doing an interstate trade. It is understood that he also has had bills framed for the reorganization of the bureau of corporations, the readjustment of its relations with the Interstate Commerce commission and the tying of both more closely to the department of justice. The importance of this tentative program lies not so much in the nature of the measures as in the fact that Mr. Taft has not swerved from his devotion to Roosevelt's policies, and that he proposes to have his administration count in the only sphere of domestic forcefulness that the present state of the country makes inviting.

Those who have thought of the president as clothed in an ineradicable smile have failed to estimate the elements of unqualified force in his makeup. The smile can be laid aside and suavity can be, and is, displaced upon occasion by a severity of manner and tone that harmonizes with the fixed convictions that call forth the demeanor; for Mr. Taft, while conciliatory, is as firm as adamant when he takes a stand. The country will have occasion to observe with a vast deal of interest his career when he shall actually begin to manipulate the lever of the nation.

Enactment and Enforcement.

"The greatest" service "to the nation, to every state and city, would be the substitution for a term of years of law enforcement for law making."

These are the words of President J. J. Hill. As a capitalist and corporation builder, he knows the hazard to business of incessant legislation either by city council, state legislature or national congress, says the Milwaukee Sentinel.

Many men elected to legislative bodies seem to think that their public career and their standing in public life are to be determined absolutely by the quantity of new laws they propose and succeed in having enacted and entered upon our statute books. So they bob up with a bill on almost every conceivable topic. As a result our statute books are burdened with many useless laws and many good laws are forgotten and not enforced.

Certain legislation, of course, is necessary, to meet conditions that change with the passing years. But the business world is getting tired of legislating solely for the sake of legislating and would welcome the change for which President Hill pleads. A just and equitable enforcement of law would be better for business than an avalanche of new laws that only tend to confuse and demoralize business and society.

Advance in Price of Wool.

The prices of many kinds of wool have been going up steadily during the last year. This has been partly a recovery from depression due to the panic and partly the result of a limited supply of clothing wools, which cost 48 cents a pound last June, brought 66 cents last month, and have been getting dearer this month. That explains why woolen cloth has advanced 25 to 30 per cent. in a year. Senator Aldrich would be justified in crying, "Thou canst not say I did it."

Let Bill Stand on Its Own Merits.

The part of wisdom and policy, clearly, is to dispose of the tariff bill on its own merits and avoid entangling and irrelevant propositions. The view of President Taft is sound and should be followed in the interest of intelligent tariff-making as well as of judicious discussion.

CRITICISM THAT IS UNFAIR

President Has Acted Wisely in Refraining from Interference with Pending Tariff Legislation.

Some criticism is heard of the president's course in the tariff matter. Why did he not take a hand from the day congress assembled in extra session? Why did he not go into details in his first message to that body? Why when he saw that the senate was disposed to revise the house bill upward did he not send for the Republican members of the finance committee and put them on notice that he would indorse no such procedure? Why this, that and the other?

And we are only three months distant from the Roosevelt administration! And some of this criticism comes from men and newspapers with records of the severest censure of everything Mr. Roosevelt did while president! They exhausted the accepted vocabulary, and coined new words, in denouncing the interference by the man in the White House with the business of congress. Why did he not keep his hands off? What right had he under the constitution, or good precedent, to be bullying, or lobbying with, senators and representatives as respected their official duties? Let him attend to his own affairs. Congress was not intended to be in leading strings to the executive. He exhausted his full power in recommending measures, and then in vetoing such actions by congress as failed to meet his approval.

Now the very course laid down in this criticism is the course Judge Taft as president has pursued. He called congress together in the redemption of the party's pledge, and recommended a revision of the tariff. He was not expected to submit a bill, and did not. It was for congress to shape the measure, and he knew, unofficially, that a bill prepared under the order of the previous house was ready for introduction. The bill was promptly introduced, and since then the lawmakers have been occupied with it.

While the president has not interfered, he has kept fully abreast of the news, and has heard no little of it from the men making it. Many senators and representatives have visited him—not by invitation, but of their own motion—and discussed the steps that have been taken. He has listened with interest, but he has not committed himself specifically as to the schedules. He will be as free-handed in passing upon them when the time comes as congress has been in preparing them.

Is not this best for the country, and best for the president's party? If the president signs the bill he will associate himself by that act with the praise or blame that may follow. If the bill is a failure it will not be in the power of its makers to excuse themselves to their constituents by saying that they yielded to threats or cajoleries at the White House.

No Partners Wanted!

Secretary of War Dickinson and Gen. Bell, chief of the army staff, have just returned from inspecting sites for the fortifications of the Panama canal.

Mr. Dickinson is reported to have remarked that the fortifications will cost $20,000,000, but that, by getting an international agreement to neutralize the canal zone, we may save the money!

The suggestion that money be saved by such a method prompts some questions:

What are we building the Panama canal for? Partly, of course, for commerce, but also partly and largely to double the efficiency of our navy—to be able to meet attack on either coast with the same ships.

Our 42 fighting ships of the line represent an investment of $150,000,000. Our total active investment in the navy is probably about $400,000,000.

By spending $300,000,000 or more on the Panama canal we expect, among other things, to double the value of this investment—to make the $400,000,000 worth $800,000,000 as a public defense plant.

When we ean do this alone, and are doing it, what is the sense of admitting partners merely to save $20,000,000?

It would be like a man able to have a $5,000 automobile giving half his ownership to save the price of axle grease.

We admitted a European partner at Panama once. Then we spent 40 years to get rid of him before building the canal.

Why, then, reverse ourselves now? Why duplicate the Clayton-Bulwer folly by admitting all nations to partnership where we resented the partnership of one?—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Against Two Sets of Prices.

There is no great irritation when an American manufacturer dumps an occasional surplus on the foreign market at a reduced price. There is great and just irritation when a highly protected manufacturer makes a practice, as in the case of cash registers, of maintaining two sets of prices—a moderate one for the foreigner and an extortionate one for his own countrymen. The American price for cash registers seems to have been a reasonable foreign price plus the 45 per cent. duty. Anything which congress can do to lessen for the benefit of Americans a glaring discrepancy in prices will be applauded by the shopkeepers and other users of cash registers. If the matter were left to them they would unhesitatingly put cash registers on the free list.—Chicago Tribune.

IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Democratic members of the house made an unsuccessful attempt to kill the provision in the urgency deficiency bill for $25,000 traveling expenses for the president.

President Taft summoned Senator Aldrich and Representative Payne to the White House and declared the tariff battle must be fought to a finish.

Ambassador Takahira is expected to be succeeded at Washington by K. Uchida, now stationed at Vienna.

Speaker Cannon refused to appoint as a conferee on the tariff, Representative Hill, who was chosen by President Taft.

By a vote of 317 to 14, all of those opposing being Republicans, the house adopted a resolution submitting the income question to state legislatures for a constitutional amendment.

President Taft officiated at the ceremonies attending the corner-stone laying for the new Ingram Congregational church in Washington.

Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations, in a report to President Taft, pointed out the lack of unity in the waterway systems of the United States.

PERSONAL.

Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg was appointed chancellor of Germany to succeed Prince von Buelow.

Rev. Edward M. Dunne of Chicago, newly-appointed bishop of Peoria, took the oath of allegiance to the holy see at Washington.

J. U. Sammis of Lemars, Ia., was elected grand exalted ruler of the Elks and Detroit was selected as the meeting place of the grand lodge in 1910.

Gov. Johnson of Minnesota became seriously ill in St. Paul and it was feared another operation for appendicitis would be necessary.

Edward Payson Weston, the veteran pedestrian, reached San Francisco, five days behind his scheduled time of 100 days on his walk from New York.

William Jennings Bryan wrote a letter to President Taft urging an amendment providing for election of United States senators by the people.

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt is now in Geona, Italy. She took a drive through that city accompanied by her sister, Miss Carow.

GENERAL NEWS.

The great historical pageant in Bath, England, illustrating the long history of that city, opened with a very large attendance from the United Kingdom and other lands and representatives of nearly every town named Bath in the world.

The Photographers' Association of America met in annual convention in Rochester, N. Y., F. R. Barrows of Boston presiding.

A two-days' meeting of the Retail Shoe Dealers' association of Michigan was held in Detroit.

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw testified at the sanity hearing that her husband, Harry K. Thaw, threatened to kill her when released from the insane asylum.

Former President Roosevelt, writing in the Outlook, said the American multi-millionaire isn't a healthy development for the country.

Louis Rosenberg, a cigarmaker of Cleveland, O., was slain for his money by Frank Elebra who committed suicide in the St. Clair Flats near Port Huron, Mich. Samuel Frisbie, a third Cleveland man, attempted suicide after being arrested.

The packet of papers kept in a safety deposit box by J. B. Sayler, the Crescent City (Ill.) banker slain by Dr. W. R. Miller, was opened by his brothers and startling evidence against the slayer was found.

A report in Paris, which is denied by the fathers of both, said Duchess de Chaulnes, formerly Theodora Shonts, is to be married to Prince Joachim Murat.

Following a day of fighting in Teheran the shah of Persia sought refuge in the Russian legation.

The Catholic Educational association decided to hold its 1910 convention in Detroit, July 5, 6 and 7.

Seventy-two guests at a private dinner in Toledo, Spain, were poisoned by ice cream.

Secretary Ballinger of the interior department has arrived in Seattle on his inspection of the government reclamation projects and Indian agencies.

Persian rebels invaded Teheran, the capital, and a fierce battle with the shah's troops was begun.

Miss Stella May Dunn of Bloomington, Ill., committed suicide by jumping in from the window of the Milwaukee (Wis.) museum in view of hundreds of of persons.

The Argentine Republic has ordered its envoy to leave Bolivia unless satisfaction is immediately given for the attack on the legation at La Paz.

Anna Kaston, daughter of a farmer at Bavaria, Wis., was killed by O. W. Kinkleson, whom she had refused to marry. Finkleson committed suicide.

A son was born in Paris to Princess de Sagan, formerly Anna Gould, who was divorced from Count de Castellane.

Plans are being made in Washington and Mexico City for a meeting of Presidents Taft and Diaz at El Paso.

Eleven of the crew of a British submarine were drowned when the war vessel was sunk in collision with a cargo steamer near Cromer, England.

Several villages were destroyed and, it is reported, many persons were killed by an earthquake in southern Greece.

Reproductions of etchings of Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln and Taft are being sent to adorn the walls of American embassies and legations throughout the world.

Experiments are to be made with the heliograph to ascertain its practicability as a means of communication for reporting fires in the national forests.

Because his mother was partly Japanese and partly Chinese William Knight, for 27 years in the navy and awarded a medal for bravery in the battle of Manila bay, was denied citizenship papers at New York.

In a riot of steel workers at McKees Rock, near Pittsburg, 100 men were injured, six of the strikers being seriously wounded by shots from rifles fired by deputy sheriffs and guards.

Wyatt H. Ingram, Jr., trust officer of the Hiberian Bank & Trust Company of New Orleans was arrested on a charge of embezzling $100,000.

According to Chinese of Denver the Chinese government will render the United States no aid in finding Leon Ling, slayer of Elsie Sigel, who is being protected by the Masons.

Former President Roosevelt and his party, after an all-day walk across an African desert, were forced to go without water and suffered much from thirst.

The body of Claude Hunt, who was drowned in Klinger lake near Sturgis, Mich., with Miss Mary Loretta Davey of Chicago, was found by searchers.

"I'm going to pull off a little stunt to-day," said Tim Thomas of Oshkosh, Wis., as he took his suit of clothes from a tailor and then went to a boarding house in Aberdeen and committed suicide.

Secretary of the Interior Ballinger said at Seattle that he had not clashed with Secretary Wilson, but that he and Gifford Pinchot differ as to the law on forest reserves.

A report from Tokyo said Baron Takahira, ambassador to the United States from Japan, is to be succeeded by K. Uchida, now at Vienna.

Mrs. William Olyphant of West Branch, Ia., poisoned four of her children and herself, killing one of the children.

It is probable that the Wright brothers, because of accidents to their aeroplane, will ask the government for a further extension of time in which to complete their speed and endurance trials.

The Northwestern Railroad Company has made plans to build several branches in the wheat regions of South Dakota.

John D. Rockefeller has defeated Innkeeper John Melin at Sleepy Hollow, N. Y., and the latter will sell has saloon. The oil king bought all the land surrounding Melin's place and installed abstaining tenants.

Naval officers at Annapolis say it will be shown at the coming investigation of Lieut. Sutton's death that he shot at another when he killed himself.

War between the American Society of Equity in Kentucky and the Burley Tobacco society, over the 1909 pool, is threatened.

John W. Brown, believed to be from Indianapolis, was killed by an automobile in Los Angeles.

Mrs. George Lynas, said to be from Chicago, paid $525, a record price, for Rob Roy II., a Chinchilla Persian cat, in London.

The Mississippi river reached a stage of 33.4 at St. Louis, being three feet above the flood mark.

Thirty-five men invaded the foreign quarter of Victor, Col., and attempted to drive Hungarians away from their work. One foreigner was dangerously wounded in the fight.

Battling Nelson, champion lightweight pugilist of the world, was badly beaten in a ten-round fight with Ad Wolgast of Milwaukee at Los Angeles.

Orville Wright made two unsuccessful attempts to fly in his aeroplane at Fort Myer and the machine was broken again in falling to earth.

A letter written to a Bloomington woman by Col. Tom Snell, the Clinton (Ill.) millionaire whose will is being attacked in court, showed him in the role of the wooer and not the wooed.

Fithian, Ill., was wrecked, Alton and Venice were badly damaged, St. Louis was swept and 20 mourners in a funeral procession near Hamilton, O., were hurt, by cyclones.

The credentials committee of the International Longshoremen's association, which began its seventeenth annual session in Galveston, announced that Daniel J. Keefe, former president of the organization, but now federal commissioner of immigration, would be denied a seat in the convention.

The sixth annual Glidden tour—a reliability run to Kansas City by way of Minneapolis and Denver—started in Detroit with thirty machines in the contest.

Fourteen members of the crew on the steamer John B. Cowle lost their lives when she was sunk in collision with the Isaac M. Scott off Whitefish Point, Lake Superior.

Prof. George A. Ferguson of Columbia university has reported, after an expert chemical analysis, that Elsie Sigel, who was murdered in the room of Leon Ling, a New York Chinaman, was poisoned

SHAW OF PERSIA IS DETHRONED

CROWN PRINCE, SULTAN AHMED MIRZA PROCLAIMED RULER BY NATIONAL BODY.

NEW SHAW YET IN MINORITY

Mohammed Ali Has Taken Refuge in the Russian Summer Legation at Zerzende—Quiet Reigns Teheran.

Teheran, Persia.—Mohammed Ali, shah of Persia, has been dethroned and the crown prince, Sultan Ahmed Mirza, proclaimed shah by the national assembly, composed of the chief mujtehids and the leaders of the Nationalist forces, in the presence of an immense crowd in Parliament square.

Mohammed Ali has taken refuge in the Russian summer legation at Zerzende, where he is under the protection of detachments of cossacks and sepoys despatched to Zerzende by the Russian and British diplomatic representatives. The new shah is yet in his minority and Azad Ul Mulk, head of the Kajar family, has been appointed regent. Sipahdar, one of the most active leaders of the movement, has taken office as minister of war and governor of Teheran. Gen. Liakhoff, through whose negotiations with the Nationalists, the surrender was effected, was escorted by mounted Bakhtiari riflemen to the Parliament building and was greeted with loud applause by the people. He was informed that he might remain temporarily in command of the cossacks.

The shops and private houses occupied by the shah's soldiers have been plundered and the residence of the manager of the Indo-European Telegraph Co. has been looted but no other homes of foreigners were invaded. With the exception of desultory firing by a handful of local Bakhtiaris in a lane near the British legation, Teheran is quiet. The townspeople are taking quite calmly the sudden change in rulers, while the Nationalists are resting after four days of incessant fighting in the streets of a strange town. Russian and British legation guards are stationed at the Russian summer legation, where the shah has sought safety.

PRESIDENT SHOWS HIS HAND

Says Republican Party Is Committed to Downward Revision of Tariff—Will Stand by His Promise.

Washington, D. C.—All doubt as to where President Taft stands with regard to the downward revision of the tariff was swept away when a statement was given out at the White House setting forth in detail what the president had to say to 23 Republican members of congress who called to protest against putting raw materials on the free list.

The president in this statement declares that the Republican party is committed to downward revision; that he has never had any other idea of the Chicago platform, and that he personally has promised a downward revision to the people. This statement is interpreted in some quarters here as a direct notification to the conferees on the tariff bill that if the measure they finally agree upon does not constitute a material reduction in specific duties the president will exercise his power of veto.

Dictated in the third person, the statement concludes with this final word of the president's attitude as outlined to his callers: "He felt strongly the call of the country for a downward revision within the limits of the protective principle, and he hoped to be able to respond to that call as he heard it, as well in the interests of the party as of the country."

MORE LABOR NOW EMPLOYED

General Business Situation of the Country Improved—Rates for Loans Nominally Low.

New York City.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Each succeeding week has now become a record of advancing activity in industry and commerce. The extraordinary expansion in the iron and steel trade continues and whereas a short time ago the problem was how to find business now the problem is becoming that of meeting orders with adequate dispatch. The general business situation is improved by the progress made in the work of tariff revision. In view of the widening area of industrial activity, the better employment of labor and the higher prices for commodities, the fact that the supply of banking credits in the leading financial centers continues large, with rates for loans generally low, is significant of the reserve power for further expansion.

Teddy Kills Hippopotamus.

Naivasha, British East Africa.—Ex-President Roosevelt, who is at present hunting on the south shore of Lake Naivasha, from the ranch of Capt. Richard Attenborough, has succeeded in bringing down a big hippopotamus. The animal is estimated to weight three tons.

Two Bathers Drowned.

Port Huron, Mich.—Miss Daisy Brace of Boston, Mass., and her sister, Bertham of Sarnia, Ont., were drowned while bathing in the St. Clair river.

THE COLONEL FARRAR MYSTERY

AUTHOR'S NOTE.

The material facts in this story of circumstantial evidence are drawn from an actual recorded case, only such change of names and local color being made as to remove them from the classification of legal reports to that of fiction. All the essential points of evidence, however, are retained.

THE Calf Skin club had assembled early for its weekly session and every member was in his accustomed place with Judge Grower in the chair. When the routine business was finished the chairman rose and said:

"We now will hear from Judge Stoakes who we trust has a story relative to circumstantial evidence. Judge Stoakes."

Judge Stoakes, a large man of dignified presence, whose silver hair alone bespoke his 70 years, rose and began:

"My story is of the troubled days in Missouri following upon the civil war, when factional rancor still ran high and the conqueror and the conquered lived together in outward amity but with secret suspicion. I had just hung up my shingle in a little town in the southern part of the state which had been the hot-bed of factional warfare, now captured by Lyon, now held by Price, and repeatedly preyed upon by the roving bands of irregulars of either side. Among the most noted leaders of these latter was Col. Jim Farrar. Among the northern sympathizers he was classed with Quartrell and the Youngers, but when the struggle was over he settled down quietly in the little town of Chester, and his tall form, his flowing moustaches, his campaign hat and long coat became him as the costume did many another warrior of the lost cause.

"Col. Farrar's household consisted of but one daughter, 17 years of age, and of that rare type of beauty which so often crops out in an adventurous and warlike stock. Her name was Lucile and she soon set the heart of every young man in a flame. I myself fell at the first glance, and as I look back down the long stretch of years I can see the black hair, the rosy lips and the flashing eyes of Lucile Farrar as I watched her in silent adoration in the meeting house, upon the street or flying along on her pony which seemed as full of life and spirits as its fair rider.

"It was silent adoration upon the part of us all, for never a glance did the fair Lucile have for any of us. But when Melvin Lessure came to Chester it was different. Something in her woman's heart must have drawn her toward him, for all the indifference and all the scorn were gone and they gave themselves up willingly to a love that quickly ran the gamut from passing interest to passionate devotion.

"The very mention of a suitor for his daughter's hand was sufficient to send Col. Farrar into a rage terrible to witness. He noted the growing intimacy of Lucile and Lessure with jealous anger. But he could not watch her always, and many a time when he was away looking after the interests of his extensive plantation near the town we less fortunate youths saw Lessure starting on long walks with the fair Lucile.

"Melvin Lessure inherited all the firey impulsiveness of a long line of French ancestry and was not the youth to brook long this uncertain entente of his lovemaking. He had a big plantation several miles from Chester and had moved into town for the social advantages that looked large to us then. He was amply able to support matrimony in a style equal to the best in the community. He was handsome, studious and courtly in his manners and seemed to be eligible from any point of view. The local Madame Grundy could find no reason why Melvin Lessure and Lucile Farrar were not a perfectly matched couple.

"But the rock on which their happiness seemed destined to break was that of factional rancor. Col. Farrar was of the south unreconstructed and unreconstructable. Gaspard Lessure, Melvin's father, had cast his lot with the north and had died at his own doorway defending his property against the enemies of his adopted flag.

"Melvin Lessure was no match for Col. Jim in brawn or bluster, but he hesitated not to go to him with his suit, and the storm he provoked I give you as it was later reconstructed through the searchings of the law.

"'Never, by the Almighty, never!' roared the colonel. 'Before I would see my daughter married to one of the accursed assassins of my country I would slay her with my own hands. Get out of my sight and never dare to raise your eyes to a daughter of the Farrars.'

"Melvin Lessure stood with white face, clenched hands and gritted teeth while Lucile threw herself at her father's feet and weepingly begged and implored him to mitigate the harsh sentence. But he cast her rudely from him with a curse, and, turning to Lessure with murder in his eyes, said:

"'You dog! You want my daughter—you! Why, I shot your father down in cold blood because he differed with me politically. Do you think I'll do less for you for trying to rob me of my daughter?'

"'So it was you who killed my father,' returned Lessure in a voice beneath the quiet of which lay the tense fixedness of a stern, unbending resolve. 'Then, Col. Farrar, I tell you that I will have your daughter and I will avenge my father. Are you mine till death, Lucile?'

"'I am yours till death,' said the girl as she went over and placed her arm proudly about his neck.

"Very little was seen of Lessure in town after that and it was whispered that he was staying out on his farm and keeping out of the irate colonel's way.

"About two weeks after his unsuccessful interview with Farrar, which was noised abroad as such things are in a small town, Lucile Farrar disappeared, and the tongues began to wag in earnest. When for a week she had not turned up the towns people, who had little love for Farrar at best, were ready to believe anything. His threat against his daughter was known and the bolder ones did not hesitate to whisper that he had put it into execution. These hints took form by degrees and at last a witness came forward who told of passing the colonel's house, situated on the edge of town, late at night, and of hearing low moans and pleadings.

"At last suspicion took such fierce root that the sheriff headed an investigating party. Col. Jim was away and they had free run of the premises.

"The search led to a cave in the side of the hill, once used as a cellar but long since abandoned. There they found torn pieces of a dress, a bloody hatchet and some tangled locks of black hair drenched with blood. The dress and the hair were easily identified as belonging to Lucile Farrar, the hatchet as the property of the colonel.

"When charged with the crime his knees tottered and he nearly fainted. He made no direct denial but moaned and cried like a child. During the trial that followed he seemed stunned and oblivious to what was going on.

"I will admit that the courts of to-day would be loath to accept so inadequate a corpus delicti, but our blood was hot in those times and it seems to me we hanged more than we do now. Service was had on Lessure and he testified to the facts of the quarrel and the threat. Upon this evidence and the prisoner's failure to deny they found their verdict of guilty and fixed upon the death penalty.

"As the day of execution approached Col. Farrar continued in a state of almost total insensibility. But when the sheriff came to read the death warrant he roused and raising his hand to heaven, said:

"'Before my maker I swear that I am guiltless of my child's death.'

"They led him to the scaffold and on the way he passed Melvin Lessure who was watching the scene like a bird fascinated by a snake. Col. Farrar requested the sheriff to stop, and extending his haid to Lessure exclaimed: 'Young man, I have wronged you and I have no wish to leave this earth with the ill will of any man. I ask your forgiveness for standing between you and my poor child and for the death of your father which I believed to be in the line of duty toward my country.'

"Lessure trembled violently but did not reply or raise his eyes. The march to the scaffold continued. A deputy was forced to support the tottering form of Farrar while the sheriff adjusted the black cap. Then the sheriff stepped back and all was in readiness for the fatal word when Lessure sprang forward and cried in an agonized voice:

"'Stop! I alone am guilty—I alone!'

"The officers of the law called him forward and demanded an explanation. He declared that Lucile was not dead but that they had run off and been married and his wife was then living in concealment in St. Louis, for fear of the wrath of her father and until he could settle up his affairs and join her. But he had not divulged to her a plan which had formed in his brain to revenge himself upon her father both for his insulting words and for the death of his own parent. He had cut off a portion of her hair while she slept and dipped it in the blood of a lamb. He had also sprinkled blood over pieces of her dress. The hatchet was easily procured. These he had placed in the cave during one of Col. Farrar's numerous absences from the house and there also he had himself emitted the moans which had been heard. He would have carried his hellish plot through to the end but that the colonel's plea for forgiveness at the gallows unnerved him.

"This confession was made partly at the place of execution and partly afterward in the jail. As soon as it became clear that Lessure had an important statement to make the sheriff turned to the colonel to take the insignia of death from his head. Farrar, unobserved by all who were intent upon the words of Lessure, had sunk into a sitting posture. The sheriff stepped up to him and raised the black cap. He was dead.

"Lessure was immediately placed under arrest. He blew his brains out in his cell that night with a pistol procured, no one knew how. Lucile went mad on hearing of the tragedy, and was confined some time in an asylum. She recovered and ended her days in a convent.

"That, gentlemen, is my story."

There was a stirring of chairs and a general lighting of pipes which had been allowed to go out in the rapt attention that prevailed while Judge Stoakes was speaking, when Judge Grower arose and said:

"I believe I voice the sentiments of the club in extending thanks to Judge Stoakes."

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BOTH STRENGTH AND BEAUTY

Proper Respiration Adds to Each, But Is Too Little Understood.

There will be fewer flat-chested women and much less nervous prostration when proper attention is giving to breathing, says an exchange. As Delsarte has said, there should be "strength at the center, freedom at the surface," and this freedom is but acquired by learning to use one's lungs at will. By developing and enlarging them the thoracic cavity is increased, and upon the degree of this power depends expansion.

In order to control one's nerves one must learn to command one's involuntary muscles, which are diaphragm, the heart and the intestines. By breathing deeply and controlling one's breath and so increasing one's lung capacity, the heart action is stimulated, and this supplies the nerve centers with fresh blood, and the nerves act upon the muscles and the brain upon the nerves and muscles.

In order not to have any waste of nerve force, the chest should be kept active by deep inhalations, thus loosening the tension of unemployed members. The persistent and regular practice of a breathing exercise will not only do this, but will give poise and self-confidence.

The movements of respiration stand in a double relation to the nervous system, being required to introduce oxygen into the blood, which takes up the oxygen, and freeing itself of the carbonic acid it contains, the latter thus acts as a powerful stimulus to the lung nerves.

One should remember to avoid collar-bone breathing, to cultivate the raised and active chest, and to gain control of the diaphragm in order to have complete mastery of breathing.

It is not necessary to take a long, tiresome trip to some far away place in order to be taught to care for oneself, for nature will come to one's aid with joyful alacrity in one spot as well as another.

But knowledge is not the only thing required. It is its application that counts, and this means steadfast determination.

Pennsylvania Happenings

Pittsburg.—It was indicated recently that the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. has made such progress in rounding out its financial plans that it will begin placing its $35,000,000 car orders early this fall. The cost of the 35,000 cars to be ordered, it is estimated, will average $1,000 a piece. A large part of them will be of the steel gondola pattern for hauling coal, ore and limestone, while the rest will be boxcars, with steel underframe.

Harrisburg. — Twenty-three more prosecutions were ordered by Dairy and Food Commissioner Foust against dealers in Allegheny county. Fourteen of these cases are to be brought as the result of selling adulterated milk, water having been added and butter fat having been removed; four for adulterated sausage containing cereals and too much water, and five for oleomargarine, colored with coal tar dies.

Harrisburg.—Last fall sensational stories were printed telling of the immense heads of wheat that could be grown from the variety known as Alaska wheat. Although the agricultural department advised against the purchase of this kind of wheat by the farmers of this state, many of them were willing to pay $10 a bushel for it. This wheat has just reached its maturity about here, and several samples of it have been received here. The stalks are tall and healthy looking and so are the husks, but there is not a grain of wheat on any of the stalks. It is estimated that the Nebraska man who sold the seed wheat made a fortune.

Harrisburg.—Col. George W. Storm of this city has just completed six portraits of former auditors general and a portrait of a former state treasurer. The former portraits have been hung in the auditor general's department and the picture of the former state treasurer, William B. Hart, 1888-1889, was placed in the state treasury. The former auditors general follow: John F. Hartranft, 1866-72; Harrison Allen, 1872-75; Justus F. Temple, 1875-78; William P. Schell, 1878-81; Jerome B. Niles, 1884-87; A. Wilson Norris, 1887-88 (died in office). The half a dozen pictures added to the gallery in the auditor general's department complete the list since the Civil war.

Pittsburg.—The strike of 18,000 coal miners, which has been ordered, will close down many mines of the Pittsburg Coal Co., or famous soft coal trust, and will be a blow at the United States Steel Corporation, which gets its coal from the Pittsburg Coal Co. It is understood that one of the reasons why the strike was decided upon at this time is because of the strike now on by the Tin Plate Workers against the Steel Corporation. The decision to strike was arrived at after a long conference between the national and international officers of the United Mine Workers of America. The reasons given by the miners for the strike is that the Pittsburg Coal Co., with its 70 mines, has not lived up to its agreement with the workmen and that new and heavier duties have been forced on the men.

Harrisburg.—Unless the new petrol butter, the latest product of the Standard Oil Co., is made exclusively from unadulterated milk, it will come under the oleomargarine head and cannot be sold in this state as butter. It can only be sold under license, issued in conformity to the oleo act. At present the ingredients of the new "butter" are not known to the dairy and food division, but it is probable that an analysis will be made of the new substance as soon as it is offered for sale in Pennsylvania. Dairy and Food Commissioner Foust has issued the following statement in regard to the matter: "The composition of the matter is not definitely known. If, however, it should be found to contain any substance, deleterious to health it would, being sold for use as a food, come under the prohibitive provisions of the general food act. If it contain no substance deleterious to health, but is an article similar in character and use to oleomargarine, butterine, or butter, and is not produced exclusively from unadulterated milk or cream, it would come within the provisions known as the 'oleomargarine act,' and would therefore, be legally salable only under license issued by the food bureau, and could not be legally licensed unless it were kept free from all coloration or ingredient that causes it to resemble or be in imitation of yellow butter; and would, of course, be subject to all the provisions of the act mentioned."

Uniontown.—Sixty separate companies, holding 75 plants, with 10,000 ovens and 40,000 acres of coal—that tells the story of the bigness of the new independent coke merger, whose success was assured beyond peradventure at a meeting in this city.

New Castle.—Fifteen hundred men will be benefited by the resumption of work at the Standard Steel Car Co. The company has received a large order for all-steel cars for the New York traction lines. The plant has been shut down for two months.

MORE PINKHAM CURES

Added to the Long List due to This Famous Remedy.

Camden, N.J.— "It is with pleasure that I add my testimonial to your already long list—hoping that it may induce others to avail themselves of this valuable medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I suffered from terrible headaches, pain in my back and right side, was tired and nervous, and so weak I could hardly stand. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored me to health and made me feel like a new person, and it shall always have my praise." —Mrs. W. P. VALENTINE, 902 Lincoln Avenue, Camden, N. J.

Gardiner, Me.— "I was a great sufferer from a female disease. The doctor said I would have to go to the hospital for an operation, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound completely cured me in three months."—MRS. S. A. WILLIAMS, R. F. D. No. 14, Box 39, Gardiner Me.

Because your case is a difficult one, doctors having done you no good, do not continue to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. It surely has cured many cases of female ills, such as inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, indigestion, dizziness, and nervous prostration. It costs but a trifle to try it, and the result is worth millions to many suffering women.

STOPPED HER SONG OF JOY.

Slight Forgetfulness That Marred the Full Appreciation of the Welcome Rain.

"Isn't that a lovely shower!" exclaimed Mrs. Randall to her friend in the parlor as they gazed out on the sudden downpour.

"Yes, we need it so badly."

"Need it? I should say we did. It's a God-send! Why, our goldenglows, hyacinths and roses out in the back yard are shrinking for the want of rain. The sprinkler can't take the place of rain, you know."

"Indeed not."

"Oh, I tell you this is just lovely! See how it pours! And to think that just when everything threatens to dry up and every one is praying for rain nature answers these appeals and sends us beautiful— Good heavens!"

"What's the matter?"

"I've left the baby out in the yard!" —The Circle.

NO TIME LIKE THE PRESTNT.

"Why, Mrs. Jones, what are you doing out in all this rain?"

"Oh, I just ran out to buy an umbrella!"

Hospitals a Benefit to Property.

The National association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis has recently concluded an investigation, which shows that 67.5 per cent. of the tuberculosis sanatoria and hospitals of the United States have been a benefit to the property and health of the communities in which they are located. In the case of more than 62 per cent. of the sanatoria the presence of the institutions has helped to increase the assessed value of surrounding property.

Better than gold—Like it in color—Hamlins Wizard Oil—the best of all remedies for rheumatism, neuralgia, and all pain, soreness and inflammation.

We lose money and comfort, and even temper sometimes by not learning to be more careful.—Dickens.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

The daughter's doings have been the mother's acts.

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FRED ARN JOHNSON, of Emporium.
For Jury Commissioner,
FRANK L. MILLER of Grove.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, July 17, 1909.

President Taft has taken a determined stand for free iron ore, free hides, free coal and free petroleum and for the reduction of the duty on lumber to one-half the Dingley rate, that is to one dollar a thousand feet. He has won the support of the conferees on the tariff bill for these reductions and he is now engaged in bringing into line those members of the Senate and the House who, for selfish and local reasons, have opposed tariff revision downward. When the President made clear to the Senate and House conferrees his views on these schedules they told him they would read-consent and would report a bill in accordance with his wishes but that they feared the conference report containing these reductions would be rejected by the Senate and possibly by the House. The President told them he could take care of those who would reject the conference report because it contained too much downward revision and they expressed a wish that he do so.

It had become known to the members of both houses that the President had taken a stand in faver of these free raw material and a number of them proposed to go to the White House and enter a protest. When they asked for an interview it was promptly accorded and twenty-two members of the House, led by Representative Young, of Michigan, called to protest against what they termed the un-Republican ideas of Mr. Taft. The delegation included Representatives Young, of Michigan, Barchfield, Tener and Bates, of Pennnsylvania, Gaines, Sturgiss, Hubbard and Woodyard, of West Virginia, Southwick, of New York, Kinkead, of New Jersey, Keiffer, Johnson and Kennedy, of Ohio, Cowles, Grant and Thomas, of North Carolina, Slemp, of Virginia, Hayes, of California, Mondell, of Wyoming, Austin, of Tennessee, and Langley and Edwards, of Kentucky They all protested against one or more of the reductions advocated by Mr. Taft. He expressed his views in no uncertain terms. He told them that as titular head of the Republican party, and as President, with the whole people for his constituents, he possessed a broader viewpoint than that of a single member of Congress with respect to articles produced in his own district. The President said too that he felt strongly the call of the country for downward revision within the limits of the protective principle and he hoped to be able to respond to that call as he heard it, as well in the interests of the party as of the country. He assured his callers that his influence would be exerted in favor of free petroleum, free coal, free iron ore and free hides.

The President's declaration will doubtless give rise to many unwarranted reports regarding a veto of the tariff bill, etc. The President does not believe there is the slightest danger that he will be confronted with a situation which will demand a veto. He is convinced that the people are with him in his demand for lower duties and he believes that now he has made it clear that he favors these reductions the voters all over the country will write their Senators and Representatives and urge them to stand by the President. If they will do this there is no doubt to a satisfactory revision of the tariff and of the early adoption of the conference report, followed by the immediate adjournment of Congress.

In entering the fight over the tariff schedules the President feels that he is only doing his duty and that he is in no way detracting from the glory of Congress. He has mantained a "hands off" policy in all regards until the party leaders have come to him and urged him to take a hand, but now that he has put his shoulder to the wheel he will not turn back. He will exert all his influence to make good the pledges confident that in so doing he will earn tne gratitude and approval of the whole people, almost regardless of party affiliations.

So many erroneous reports regarding the tax on the net earnings of corporations have found their way into the public prints that, even at the risk of repeating facts which have been fully and accurately stated in these letters from the first, it seems wise again to state the truth. The corporation tax will be adopted by the conferrees and only the failure of the entire tariff bill can prevent its adoption by both houses of Congress. There has never been any doubt on this score among well informed persons since that conference which took place at the White House on the evening of June 22, with tne Republican members of the Finance committee, the Speaker and Representatives Payne and Dwight present. These men then assured the President that they would accomplish the acceptance of the corporation tax by their respective houses.

HANDICAPPED

This is The Case With Many Emporium People.

Too many Emporium citizens are handicapped with a bad back. The unceasing pain causes constant misery, making work a burden and stooping or lifting an impossibility. The back aches at night, preventing refreshing rest and in the morning is stiff and lame. Plasters and liniments may give relief, but cannot reach the cause. To eliminate the pains and aches you must cure the kidneys.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys and cure them permanently.

The following statement should convince every Emporium reader of their efficiency.

S. W. Dahive, 126 Grant St., Ridgway, Pa., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have been of such great benefit that I can highly recommend them. For years I was more or less troubled with kidney complaint and suffered acutely from pains in my side. This trouble inconvenienced me in many ways and I knew that it arose from disordered kidneys, as the secretions were unnatural and distressing in passage. I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills and immediately procured a box. In a short time I felt better in every way. I am glad to give Doan's Kidney Pills my recommendation."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Owns Half A Husband.

A man who has neither strength nor ambition to make a living is only half a husband. Such a man needs a tonic, and as there is no tonic like Sexine Pills for any form of nerve weakness, he should take Sexine Pills. Price $1 a box, 6 boxes $5, with full guarantee. Address or call on R. C. Dodson, Druggist, Emporium, Pa., where they sell all the principle remedies and do not substiue.

Bowel Complaint in Children.

When six months old the little daughter of E. N. Dewey, a well known merchant of Agnewville, Va., had an attack of cholera infantum. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was given and effected a complete cure. This remedy has proven very successful in cases of bowel complaint in children and when given according to the plain printed directions can be relied upon with perfect confidence. When reduced with water and sweetened it is pleasant to take, which is of great importance when a medicine must be given to young children. For sale by Taggart.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. It is good for anything where a salve is needed, but it is especially good for piles. Sold by all druggists.

You should get DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills right away when you experience the least sign of Kidney or Bladder complaints. Send your name to E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, for free trial box. Sold by all druggists.

For Sale

One second hand Reaper; one second hand mower; one platform scales; one cultivator; a lot of log chains. The above will be sold cheap for cash.

WM. HACKENBERG, Emporium, Pa.

For Sale.

A desirable property, on East Fourth St., Emporium. Lot 60x120; improved by two dwelling houses. Excellent location; next door to Schlecht's Greenhouse. Apply to

MRS. ELLA MCSWANN,
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Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops chronic coughs that weaken the constitution, develop into consumption, but heals and strengthens the lungs. It affords comfort and relief in the worst cases of chronic bronchitis, asthma, hay fever and lung trouble, Sold by all druggists.

Delay in commencing treatment for a slight irregularity that could have been cured quickly by Foley's Kidney Remedy may result in a serious kidney disease. Foley's Kidney Remedy builds up the worn out tissues and strengthens these organs, For sale by all druggists.

Sore Nipples.

Any mother who has had experience with this distressing ailment will be pleased to know that a cure may be effected by applying Chamberlain's Salve as soon as the child is done nursing. Wipe it off with a soft cloth before allowing the babe to nurse. Many trained nurses use this salve with best results. For sale by Taggart.

Every teaspoonful of Kodol will digest 2½ pounds of any food that you would ordinarily eat. We want you to try Kodol to-day on our guarantee. Your money will be refunded if Kodol fails. It is sold here by all druggists.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers—small, gentle, pleasant, little liver pills. Sold by all druggists.

Just received a line of Boy's and Men's Shoes at C. B. Howard & Co's.

How to Secure the Lowest Express Rate.

Here is something from the Iron Age that should prove of interest to those who have occasion to use the express companies:

The express companies have been often subjected to a good deal of well-deserved criticism because of defective service and irregular charges. While complaints along this line have substantial grounds, it is undoubtedly true that merchants and the public do not always take pains to advise themselves concerning the facilities and charges which are obtainable from the companies. This is especially the case in regard to the carriage of small parcels on which materially reduced rates, regularly established but not very generally made known, may be obtained by those who know enough to ask for them. For example, small packages of merchandise limited in value to $10 are carried between any points in the United States or Canada which are served by any of the leading express companies at the rate of one cent per ounce, with a minimum charge of fifteen cents. This rate, unless the regular express charge is less, applies to packages containing dry goods, notions, samples, stationery, advertising cuts and other ordinary merchandise. There is likewise another and lower rate covering advertising and printed matter, such as catalogues, calendars, almanacs, etc., which are carried at one-half cent per ounce, with a minimum charge of ten cents. Packages in this latter schedule, weighing fifty ounces or over are carried at the rate of one-half cent per ounce, less two cents per package. This rate, it is to be noted, is uniform throughout this country and Canada, without regard to distance, as a parcel in either of these classes is carried over a long or short distance at the same charge. In this respect the service resembles that of the Postoffice Department and these rates are to enable the express companies to secure business which would otherwise go through the mails. To obtain these rates it is necessary that the charges be prepaid at the time of shipment and that the value be declared, so that the liability of the express companies will be limited to $10. The express companies emphasize the point that by this medium of transportation shippers are always able to prove delivery through the records kept by the companies and that delivery is guaranteed.

These rates, while in existence, seem not to be thrust on the uninitiated, but are rather doled out to individuls who are cognizant of them and ask for them. A parcel weighing sixteen ounces and valued at $10 was recently handed in at the counter of one of the largest express companies at its New York headquarters to be delivered in a town in the state on which the regular rate was $1 per 100 pounds, and twenty-five cents, minimum for one pound or less. The rate named was twenty-five cents, but when request was made for a reduced rate sixteen cents was given. While in the case the package was to be carried only about 300 miles, it is to be noted that for the same charge it might have been sent 3,000 miles. This method of transacting business being criticised by the shipper, the clerk replied that these rates were given when called for; in other words, the uninformed would pay twenty-five cents, while one who was posted in regrrd to the lower rates would pay sixteen cents on identical packages and service, except only as regards prepayment and the reduced liability. In such instances persons are obviously subjected to an overcharge of more than 50 per cent. because of their lack of knowledge. But this, after all, is only another example of which the woods are full of the penalties which are being enforced because of carelessness or ignorance in business matters.

Card of Thanks.

Editor Press:—

Will you kindly extend our sincere thanks to those dear friends who assisted us during the illness of our dear husband and father, and consoled and sympathized with us when our dear one was called to that beautiful shore.

MRS. JAMES MURRAY AND FAMILY.
July 20th, 1909.

First Presbyterian Church.

Paul J. Lux, Pastor.

Morning Worship and Sermon, 10:30, Sermon, "Life, what Is it?"
Sunday School, 11:45.
Junior endeavor, 3 p. m.
Christian Endeavor, 6:30.
Evening Service, 7:30. Sermon, "How to Choose a Friend."
Come and worship with us. A cordial invitation to all.

Public Letting.

Bids will be received until 8 o'clock, p. m., July 30th, 1909, by the School Board of Lumber township, Cameron county, Penn'a. for the erection of a school house in said township. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Secretary. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

FRANK B. HOAG,
ATTEST:— President.
W. H. G. WALKER, Sec'y. 23-2t

Post cards at Bair's studio until Aug. 1st, for $1.00 a dozen.

Honor Roll.

Subscribers of the PRESS who have either called or sent and paid up subscriptions since our last statement are as follows:

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Sheffield, Pa.—J. Slaigle.
Johnsonburg, Pa.—Jos. Frauver.
Elbon, Pa.—Jos. Swallow.

Cause of Gapes in Chicks.

Prof. H. A. Surface, the State Zoologist, is daily in receipt of letters requesting information in regard to insect pests and the diseases of plant life. These letters come to his office in Harrisburg from every part of the State and are upon many topics. It was not surprising, therefore, that he received one in reference to that common affliction of poultry, known as gapes. The correspondent asked for the best relief for chicks suffering from gapes, and wanted to know how to prevent the trouble.

Prof. Surface replied that "Gapes in little chickens are caused by the eating of earth-worms. There are parasites in the earth-worms which find their way into the windpipe of the chicken and lodge there, where they take the form of little red worms. The best preventive is to keep the chickens from the surface of the ground; or use salt or strong salt water on the soil, so as to kill the earth-worms; or strew strong line or something of the kind on the ground, so that the chicks will not get hold of the worms to eat them.

"After the chicks have been attacked with gapes, however, you can dislodge the worms by making a very small loop in a twisted horse hair, draw out the tongue of the chick, slightly, insert the horse hair loop in the windpipe opening, which will be seen between the forks at the base of the tongue, and, twisting the hair around, withdraw it. The worms are likely to be found within the loop, or some of them will have been thus removed, and the operation can be repeated.

"Another remedy is to dip the tip of a soft feather into kerosene and insert it in the windpipe opening to dislodge and kill the worms. Such treatment, although severe, is better than letting the worms remain undisturbed, to severely annoy the fowels and even kill them.

"Mixing turpentine or other substances in the food of the young poultry has not proven satisfactory as a remedy for gapes."

Constable and Collector's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the duplicate for the State, County, School, and all taxes levied and assessed in the Borough of Emporium, County of Cameron, State of Pennsylvania, for the year 1909, has been placed in my hands for collection.

I will attend at my residence in said Borough of Emporium, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m., and 6 p. m., on three successive Saturdays, beginning Saturday, July 10th, 1909, for the purpose of receiving the taxes charged in said duplicate; and any persons who shall pay their said taxes on said days or any other day within thirty days from date of this notice shall be required to pay the amount of their taxes, as therein charged, and the additional sum of two per centum thereon. And any person paying their said taxes after the expiration of said thirty days shall be required to pay the amount of their taxes, as therein charged and the additional sum of ten per centum thereon. All taxes not paid within thirty days from this date will be collected according to law. All taxes must be paid in full on or before three months from this date.

JOHN GLENN,
Constable and Collector.
July 5th, 1909.—22-3t.

His Complaint.

Countryman (to doctor)—Think I bain't well, doctor. The more I eats the less I wants loike. Doctor (impressively)—Ah, yes, of course. You see, everything you eat flies to your stomach.—Punch.

Letting the Cat Out.

"Say, grandpa, make a noise like a frog," coaxed little Tommy.

"What for, my son?"

"Why, papa says that when you croak we'll get $5,000.—Success Magazine.

For Sale.

Two wide tire lumber wagons, one set double harness, one good 1200 pound mare. Apply to

19-tf. D. C. HAYES.

For dyeing cloth of any size,
He takes our pure, fast color dyes;
The fine results will cause surprise.

Home Dyeing

has been made easy, safe and successful by modern discoveries of new dyes. Our dyes are of standard make, easy to use and very cheap. Rejuvenate some old clothes with a few dimes worth of dye. You will be agreeably surprised at the results.

Old Reliable Drug Store

GEORGE C. TAGGART, Prop.

Annual Meeting of the Stockholders.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS:—

You are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Emporium Telephone Company will be held at the offices of the Company at Emporium, Pa., Thursday, August 5th, at eight o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of electing directors and inspectors of election for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Respectfully,
S. C. ORMSBEE, Secretary.
Syracuse, N. Y., July 22, 1909.—23-2t.

Diarrhea

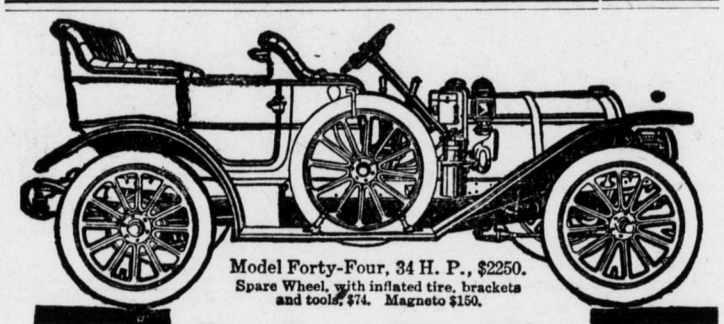
Quickly Cured.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy

Can always be depended upon.

During the summer months children are subject to bowel disorders and should receive the most careful attention. As soon as any unnatural looseness of the bowels is noticed Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy should be given. Costs but 25 cents a bottle, and it is economy to always keep a bottle handy. You do not know when it may be needed, but when you do want it you want it badly. Get a bottle today.

DeWITT'S CARBOLIZED WITCH HAZEL SALVE For Piles, Burns, Sores.



Model Forty-Four, 34 H. P., $2250.
Spare Wheel, with inflated tire, brackets and tools, $74. Magneto $150.

Try It on The Hills

Test this car at half speed on a hill or sand road where power and every ounce of it is needed. Notice how steadily and powerfully it pulls when running slowly under load.

The capacity of the Rambler engine for doing this extra work is most noticeable at low engine speeds. This is because of the offset crank shaft.

Rambler
The Car with the Offset Crank Shaft

All that power which in other engines is lost through friction on the bearings and cylinder walls, is added to the driving force by the Rambler offset crank shaft. It reduces friction, eliminates hammer on bearings, gives more power. The straight-line-drive delivers the power direct and with least friction al loss to the rear axle.

Let us demonstrate these features and the silence and comfort of this car.

Let us call at your home, and take you to your place of business some morning in a Rambler.

The Car of Steady Service

Mark M. Pomeroy
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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

$2.50 to BUFFALO

AND RETURN

$2.75 to NIAGARA FALLS

AND RETURN
FROM EMPORIUM JUNCTION

Tuesday, July 27, 1909

Tickets good going only on Train leaving 8:05 a. m. Good returning on all regular trains leaving Niagara Falls and Buffalo, July 27 or 28 Baggage will not be checked on these tickets. Tickets will not be accepted for passage in Pullman Parlor or Sleeping Cars.

Children Between Five and Twelve Years of Age, Half Fare

J. R. WOOD,
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GEO. W. BOYD,
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$4.00 NIAGARA FALLS

Trains leave Ridgway 3.16 a. m. and 1.49 p. m.

$8.90 to Toronto, Ont., 16 day excursion from Ridgway every Tuesday during July, August and September.

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PRICE LIST.
Emporium, Pa., July 9, 1909.

NEMOPHILA, per sack	$1 85
Felt's Fancy, "	1 90
Pet Grove, "	1 90
Graham, "	95
Rye "	75
Patent Meal "	55
Buckwheat Flour	85
Buckwheat Flour, 10lb sack	35
Coarse Meal per 100,	1 65
Chop Feed "	1 65
Matchless Egg Maker, per 100	2 10
SylvaChick Feed, per 100	2 10
Cracked Corn per 100	1 65
Screenings "	1 65
Chicken Wheat "	2 15
Oil Meal "	1 90
Middlings, "	1 65
White Middlings,	1 70
Bran,	1 60
Corn per bushel	92
Oyster Shells, per 100	75
White Oats, per bushel	65
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Buckwheat	
Choice Clover Seed, Choice Timothy Seed, Choice Millet Seed.	At Market Prices

Disinfect

Some disinfectants and germicides might be classed as drugs but, you do not want to be drugged just now with a bug killer. However, now is the time to think of getting after the rose bugs and currant worms.

We have a full line of the "remedies" for that class of pests. Also a non-poisonous bed bug exterminator in small cans.

R. C. Dodson

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card, letter or personally.

Henry Auchu made a short business trip to Olean last Friday.

Miss Dorothy Weiper of the Theatorium, spent Sunday with relatives at Olean.

Mrs. M. H. Dodge returned on Monday, after a week's visit with friends near Buffalo.

Mrs. Simpson and Mrs. Roy Page came up from Cameron on Monday to do some shopping.

T. Franklin Strayer has returned from State College, were he has completed his third year.

Asa Murry, the baggage agent at the Broad street station made a business trip to Erie last week.

Mrs. Steiner of Lewisburg, is the guest of her son Albert B. Steiner and wife on Fifth street.

Miss Jean McNarney has returned home, after spending two weeks with friends at Coudersport.

Wm. Schweikart was called to Williamsport last Friday on account of the death of his aunt.

Miss Margaret Anderson of St. Marys, was guest of Miss Grace Walker Saturday and Sunday.

A. W. Woods of Coudersport, was the guest of Chas. Leutze at his home on Second street last week.

Mrs. Peter Schweikart and daughters, the Misses Anna and Cora, are the guests of relatives at Ellington, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weiman returned home on Monday, after spending a short time on their farm near Lebanon.

Misses Genevieve Lawrence and Katharine Herzing of St. Marys, were guests at the New Warner on Sunday.

Neil Coppersmith of this place, went to Arcade, N. Y., on Wednesday where he will visit relatives for about two weeks.

Misses Mary Ryan and Agnes Blumle returned home last Friday after attending the firemen's convention at Wellsville, Pa.

Jack O'Connors, the popular Irish tenor, at the opera house, went to Pittsburg last Saturday, where he is spending the week with relatives.

Dan'l Downey and wife leave to-day for Harrisburg to visit their son Frank for some time. They will also visit other eastern cities while absent.

Mrs. W. H. G. Walker and son of Calder, and sister Mrs. MacMarchy of Thousand Islands, were business callers in Emporium on Monday.

H. A. Ghering, of Oil City, who taught at Plank Road School last term, accompanied by Miss Eleanore Helff, of Kane, made Emporium a short visit last Friday.

W. S. Sterner is spending the week visiting friends at Olean, Hornell and Marathon, N. Y. At the latter place he will witness the wedding of a friend, which takes place to-day.

Miss Margaret Crandell is visiting at Port Allegany.

Miss Encie Howard leaves next week on her annual vacation.

Mrs. H. N. Knight, of St. Marys, visited in town yesterday, guest of W. G. Gilbert and family.

John Heher and wife, *nee* Emma Kraft, went to Elmira, N. Y., last Saturday to visit relatives.

H. R. Blydenberg, of Erie, Pa., is guest of Hon. Josiah Howard. Mr. B., is Division Freight Agt. P. & E. R. R.

Miss Nellie Huntley of Driftwood, one of the most pleasant ladies in that section, was shopping in Emporium last Saturday.

Supt. Robertson, of Penn Vitrified Brick Co., is the father of a bouncing big twelve pound boy. Glorious climate.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Lamb, of Galeton, Pa,, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Jay Goodnough Sunday and Monday.

Supt. Robertson and son, of Calder, are in town to-day transacting business and purchasing a hunting outfit for that new son.

Mrs. Kathrene Murray and Miss Lucetta Murray, her sister-in-law, visited Mr. and Mrs. Martin B. Epley, at Driftwood yesterday.

Mrs. C. W. Shaffer, of New York City, arrived in Emporium last week to spend the heated season, guest of her mother, Mrs. D. W. Felt.

Mrs. J. H. Cole, of Keokuk, Iowa, who was called here on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. R. Warner leaves this afternoon for her home.

Mrs. Lizzie Clark, *nee* Lyons, who has been at death's door for two weeks, is a little better as we go to press. Two professional nurses are in constant attendance.

Miss Harriet Smith, of Buffalo, is guest of her brother, Mr. H. W. Smith, proprietor of New Warner. Miss Smith is enroute for seashore to spend a few weeks.

Dr. S. S. Smith, accompanied by Misses Winnie Gilmartin and Nellie O'Day, of Kane, left Emporium yesterday morning in his touring car for Westbryok, Canada. They will have a delightful trip.

Leo Hayes is spending a few days at Gettysburg, visiting relatives. His visit no doubt will be pleasant and full of interest. No Pennsylvanian should fail to visit this historic spot at the first opportunity. We know of no place more interesting.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Armstrong, of Lewiston, Maine, are guests of their son, Mr. E. D. Armstrong, Supt. for duPont Powder Co., at this place. Mr. Armstrong is a retired merchant and a very pleasant gentleman and a thorough American. During the civil war he came in close touch with Pennsylvania comrades, being a member of Co., C.. 13th Mass,, Inf., and is very enthusiastic in praise of the American soldiery. He is a delightful gentleman to meet.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Baldwin, of Galeton, came over in their touring car last Sunday to spend the day with Allen Baldwin and wife. Mr. and D. H. Mrs. Lamb accompanied them.

Mrs. J. B. Schriever and daughter Irene, arrived in Emporium last Saturday to visit Mrs. S's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Zarps. Mr. Schriever passed through Emporium to visit his mother, who is seriously ill. He visited here over Tuesday night, leaving for Scranton yesterday noon.

Mrs. N. J. Swartz, of East Fifth street, was an agreeable PRESS visitor on Tuesday. Like many other parents, she wanted the PRESS sent to her daughter, who is residing at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Miss Josephene Gilbert, of Buffalo, is the guest of her father, Mr. C. L. Gilbert and brother W. G. Gilbert and wife. Miss Gilbert is stenographer for Rev. Mr. Raymond, a Presbyterian minister at Buffalo.

Mr. E. D. Gardner, Passenger Train Master of Middle Div. P. & E. R. R., accompanied by Mr. O. Olson, Electrical Engineer, stopped in Emporium between trains to transact business and shake hands with friends on Tuesday.

Misses Mayme and Margaret Cummings, of this place, visited friends at Port Allegany, for a few days last week. Miss Margaret will soon return to Philadelphia, where she will resume her work as nurse at Medico-Chi Hospital.

Miss Madeline Severin, of St. Marys, was in town between trains on Friday, having just returned from an extended trip to Philadelphia, New York and Atlantic City.

Miss Jennie Norris, of Kane, accompanied by her little nephew, visited in in town several days last week, guests of her brother, Sheriff J. W. Norris and family and other friends.

Miss Anna Straub and Miss Irene McGraw, of St. Marys, called on friends at this place last Saturday.

Sheriff J. W. Norris, accompanied by Assistsnt Prothonotary, George Barker, Jr., made a business trip to Pittsburg and Alleghany the last of the week.

Mrs. Wm. Deitzler of Bradford, was visiting her parents several days last week.

Thos. Waddington, of this place, spent the first of the week transacting business at Austin.

Frank Knight, of Buffalo, was the guest of friends at this place, last Sunday, for a short time.

Prof. D. B. Peterson, of Cameron, was yesterday a pleasant social visitor at the PRESS office.

Samuel J. Kline and wife and Miss Annie Lysett, of Williamsport, are visiting in town, guests of Mr. John Trebsweather and family.

Mrs. H. W. Graham, wife of one of our respected townsorial artists, was a pleasant PRESS caller yesterday afternoon.

Miss Hazel Crawford, Miss Myrtle Gregory and Miss Nellie Thomas are visiting Miss Ethel Fisher at Howard Siding. No young men *dare* venture in that vicinity.

Mrs. Ralph Shaffer and daughter Ruth, of Benezette, are guests of Wm. Swartwood and family, East Allegany Ave.

Mrs. Chester Potter, of Oak Hill, who has been in very poor health for over a year, was able to visit in Emporium yesterday, her first call here far more than a year.

Miss Hattie Jones, of Keating Summit, was the guest of Chas. L. Jones and family over Sunday. We regret to learn that the mother of this pleasant young lady has been seriously ill, but is slowly improving, we are pleased to learn.

Buster Brown, who is makihg his permanent home at Coppersmith's reliable dry goods and furnishing store, makes a special announcement in this week's PRESS.

Big Business.

The extensive trade enjoyed, last Friday and Saturday, by R. Kuehne, Cameron County's Great Dry Goods House, demonstrates what liberal and judicious advertising will do when an advertisement, such as appeared in the PRESS, last week, is put out to the public in up-to-date city style.

The Pure Food Family Store.

The choice family groceries you buy at J. H. Day's up-to-the-times store are always the best—none but pure unadulterated goods. Trashy goods are dear at any price, and dangerous.—Day invites his customers to inspect his goods and compare quality.

Colored Society News.

EVENING PARTY.

Last Friday evening, Mrs. Henry W. Graham entertained a few young folks in honor of her two nieces, the Misses Adalene and Estella Garner, of Danville, Pa., who have been visiting her during the past two weeks. Miss Adalene returned to her home last Saturday.

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Mr. Harry Fountain had the pleasure of taking the Misses Garner, who are visiting their aunt, Mrs. H. W. Graham, of Fifth street, and his two sisters, on a very enjoyable drive last Friday afternoon.

Big Ball Game.

Don't fail to attend the base ball game, next Saturday afternoon, between Emporium and St. Marys teams. This will be the hottest contested game thus far this season.

Notice to Shippen Tax-Payers.

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of Shippen township that the duplicate for state, county, school and all other taxes levied and assessed in the Township of Shippen, county of Cameron, State of Pennsylvania, for the year 1909, has been placed in my hands for collection. I will sit at the Swesey School House, Saturday, July 24th; Howard Siding, July 31st and at Election House, Aug. 7th, 1909. All who fail to pay their taxes within thirty days will be charged ten per cent. additional.

ELIHU CHADWICK,
Constable and Collector.
July 5th, 1909.—22-2t.

Post cards at Bair's studio until Aug. 1st, for $1.00 a dozen.

H. A. Zarps & Co., make special announcement this week.

Thirty-five cents buys 100 pieces of the latest style stationery at Taggart's. The finest value ever offered in Emporium.

Line of 10c Prunes with can of Squash are getting low. If you wish some call at C. B. Howard & Co's.

The day has gone, never to return, when a merchant can do a live trade without liberal advertising. Scratch your heads; think and wake up.

The Garden and the Hen.

Did you ever work for ten hours and make a beautiful garden about the size of a large pocket handkerchief? And then after it was all planted and up did you ever find a hen that looked like a cross between a greyhound and a buzzsaw right in the middle of it with the air full of young lettuce and radishes? Did you then remember that the hen was made for some useful purpose and that innocent children might be in hearing distance?—Butler (Ga.) Democrat.

Railroad News.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company, in conjunction with the Hudson & Manhattan Railroad Co., has arranged that on and after Monday, July 19, 1909, all tickets to and from New York shall, without additional charge, be valid through the new Hudson tunnels to and from the Hudson Terminal Building, at Church and Cortlandt streets, New York City, within one block of Broadway and adjoining a Sixth avenue elevated station.

Passengers coming to New York, whether on one-way or excursion tickets, will have the alternative of crossing the river on the company's ferry boats to Cortlandt, Desbrosses and Twenty-third streets, or of taking an elevator in the station at Jersey City, descending to the Hudson tunnel and going by subway to the terminal in New York City.

Coupons are to be attached to one-way and excursion tickets from Philadelphia and points east, except stations between Bay Head and Toms River, N. J., inclusive. These coupons will be collected and commutation tickets will be punched at the entrance to elevators in the Jersey City station.

Passengers coming from points south or west of Philadelphia, will, upon application, and without charge, be supplied by conductor with a tunnel ticket before reaching Jersey city. Leaving New York, all Pennsylvania Railroad tickets are to be accepted on the concourse floor of the Hudson terminal for transportation to Jersey City.

The Pennsylvania time tables will set forth the leaving time of trains at Twenty-third, Desbrosses and Cortlandt streets, as well as the leaving time at the Hudson Terminal. For each of the regular through trains a special tunnel train will be provided to leave the Hudson Terminal five minutes after the Cortlandt and Desbrosses street ferries are scheduled to leave for Jersey City, and ten minutes after the leaving time of the Twenty-third street ferry.

Tickets to all points on the Pennsylvania Railroad are to be purchassble at ticket windows in the Hudson Terminal, as well at the regular city ticket offices of the company. For the present, however, baggage will be checked only to and from the ferry stations at Jersey City.

The Pennsylvania Railroad's eighteen hour train between New York and Chicago has just completed a continuous record of four years' service. From June 12, 1905, when the train was started, to June, 12, 1909, a total of 2,922 trips were made—1,461 in each direction—and upon 2,483 or 85 per cent. of these trips the train was on time or within five minutes of its schedule at destination.

The actual running time of the "Pennsylvania Special" from Jersey City to Chicago is 17 hours and 41 minutes. The scheduled time is 57 2 miles per hour, or 1,061 minutes to cover 912 miles. During this period of four years, therefhre, the train has travelled 2,655,744 miles, and 2,145,740 miles were covered in scheduled time.

Upon only 160 trips, or an average of 80 in each direction, for the entire four years—or 20 for each year—was the train more than 30 minutes late. From New York to Chicago the train was on time to the minute 1,159 times out of 1,461 trips, while from Chicago to New York, the train arrived exactly on schedule 1,202 days. These records take account of operations during the while of the winter period when snow, ice, fog and storm have to be encountered frequently.

The best record of the four years was the last, June 12, 1908, to June 12, 1909, when the train was on time or within five minutes of its schedule at New York on 326 days out of 365, and at Chicago on 312 days. The train thus made its schedule during the past year approximately 88 per cent. of the time. For the month ending July 1st, 1909, the train was absolutely on time at both Chicago and New Yok upon every one of the 30 days.

This train has thus now been operated continuously for a longer period, and has made its schedule with greater regularity than any other train of like speed and distance in the history of transportation.

Church Dedicated.

EDITOR PRESS:—I want to say just a word to your readers. The Mountain Mission Church was dedicated last Saturday and Sunday. A full report will appear in next week's PRESS, not having the time to do so this week. Jos. Newton and wife were the only ones from Emporium in attendance. We received a letter from our old friend and comrade, Hon. J. C. Johnson, bringing a contribution and full of good cheer and encouragement. We would be pleased to have it printed to let people know that there are some who think well of us, but probably it would not be wise to do so without his permission. Watch for full report next week. J. M. E.

Any person after purchasing one box of Windsor Linen at Taggart's and not feeling entirely satisfied with his bargain may get $3.00 in trade at my store free. GEO. C. TAGGART.

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15c Succotash, 2 cans for 25c.
11c pkge cleaned Currants 8c.
VanCamps Mock Turtle Soup three 10c cans 25c
50c quality Tea including Oolong, Ceylon, Gunpowder Uncolored Basket Fired Japan a lb 40c.
Burnham and Morrill's 20c Baked Beans 18c or two cans for 35c.
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THE LOVES of the LADY ARABELLA

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SYNOPSIS.

At 14 years of age Admiral Sir Peter Hawkshaw's nephew, Richard Glyn, fell deeply in love at first sight with Lady Arabella Stormont, who spurned his attentions. The lad, an orphan, was given a berth as midshipman on the Ajax by his uncle. Giles Vernon, nephew of Sir Thomas Vernon, became the boy's pal. They attended a theater where Hawkshaw's nephew saw Lady Arabella. Vernon met Philip Overton, next in line for Sir Thomas Vernon's estate. They started a duel which was interrupted. Vernon, Overton and Hawkshaw's nephew found themselves attracted by pretty Lady Arabella. The Ajax in battle defeated French warships in the Mediterranean. Richard Glyn got £2,000 prize money. He was called home by Lady Hawkshaw as he was about to "blow in" his earnings with Vernon. At a Hawkshaw party Glyn discovered that Lady Arabella was a poor but persistent gambler. He talked much with her cousin Daphne. Lady Arabella again showed love for gaming. Later she held Glyn and Overton prisoners, thus delaying the duel. In the Overton-Vernon duel, neither was hurt. Lady Arabella humiliated Richard by her pranks. Richard and Giles shipped on a frigate. Giles was captured by the French. Sir Peter arranged for his exchange. Daphne showed a liking for Glyn, who was then 21 years of age. Giles was released. Giles and Richard planned elopements. Sir Peter objected to the plan to wed Daphne. By clever ruses Giles and Richard eloped with Lady Arabella and Daphne, respectively. The latter pair were married. Daphne was pleased; Arabella raved in anger.

CHAPTER VIII.—Continued.

Arabella answered his appeal by a laugh of scorn, which seemed to cut him like a knife; and then, shaking me off, he shouted to her:

"I know why you will not be mine. It is that pious, hypocritical hound, Overton. But I tell you now, my lady, if you marry him, I'll have his life. Take note of what I say—I'll have his life."

To which Arabella, after a pause in which her face grew deeply red and then pale again, said:

"Your own life is in jeopardy. The abduction of an heiress is a capital offense, and you shall be tried for your life if it takes every shilling of my fortune to do it. You shall see what you have done!"

I shuddered at these words, for I saw it was no idle threat. If Giles contemplated violence toward Overton, I had not the slightest doubt that Arabella was fully capable of keeping her word in the dreadful business. Daphne thought so, too, for she ran forward, and putting her hands over Arabella's mouth, cried:

"No, no! dear Arabella, take that back!"

"But I will not take it back," replied Arabella; "and I shall lodge information against this wretch as soon as I can return to Scarborough—which I shall do in the post-chaise; luckily, I have money with me."

Under the terrible threat of prosecution, Giles recovered himself surprisingly. He lost his frantic air, and, drawing himself up, remarked quite calmly:

"Just as your ladyship pleases."

His change of manner seemed to infuriate Arabella, who shrieked at him:

"You shall be hanged for this!"

"Anything to oblige your ladyship," responded Giles, as cool as you please.

I felt that this painful scene could no longer continue, and said so.

"Lady Arabella," said I, "my wife"—how Dahpne's eyes glowed as I spoke—"and I are returning immediately to Scarborough; you had best go with us; and when you have seen and consulted with Sir Peter and Lady Hawkshaw it will be time enough to determine upon your course."

"My course is already determined upon," she replied; and no one who saw her could doubt it.

"And so is mine," said Giles, now in possession of all his usual maliness. "I return to London, where I shall duly report myself to the admiralty, and later to Sir Peter Hawkshaw; and if the lady thirsts for my blood, begad, she can have it."

"Giles Vernon," said I, "you have been unlucky. I can not say more, because I am in the same boat with you. But you have done nothing unworthy of a gentleman, and nothing to make either Daphne or me love you the less, no matter what befalls. So here is my hand upon it."

We grasped hands, and, turning to Daphne, he removed his hat and proceeded to kiss her, saying to me: "By your leave." And Daphne said to him:

"Good-by, dear Giles."

The proceedings seemed to fill Lady Arabella with disgust. She haughtily refused my hand to assist her into the chaise, and announced that she would go to the village of Springfield, near by, for rest and breakfast; and, willy-nilly, Daphne and I had to follow in the post-chaise.

Never shall I forget that dismal wedding journey back to Scarborough. I began, for the first time, to fear the reproaches of the world in general, and Sir Peter and Lady Hawkshaw in particular, in regard to running away with an heiress. I had one comfort, however; Daphne fully believed in my disinterestedness; and I can sincerely say I wished Daphne's fortune at the bottom of the sea, if I could but have wooed and won her in the ordinary course of events.

Lady Arabella traveled just ahead of us, but took occasion to show her anger and resentment against us in every way.

About half the distance to Scarborough we met full in the road a traveling chariot, and in it were Sir Peter and Lady Hawkshaw.

We found that the hostlers had earned their money, and that the Hawkshaws' chaise had broken down at least once in every stage.

When we met and stopped, Arabella alighted, and so did we, and so did the Hawkshaws; and the first word that was spoken was by Daphne.

"Uncle Peter," she said, "don't fly at Richard. If you must know it, I ran away with him; for I am sure, although he is as brave as a lion, it never would have dawned upon him to run away with me, if I had not put the idea in his head and kept it there."

"Sir," I said, "and madam," turning to Lady Hawkshaw, "I beg you will not listen to this young lady's plea. I am wholly responsible for the circumstances of our marriage. I can, however, and do, call heaven to witness, that her fortune had nothing to do with it, and I should have been happy and proud to take her, with the clothes on her back, and nothing more."

Sir Peter began to sputter, but Lady Hawkshaw cut him short.

"Exactly what you said, Sir Peter, within an hour of our marriage."

Thus were Sir Peter's guns dismounted.

"And, Richard and Daphne, you are a couple of fools to run away, when, if you had only had a little patience, I would have had you handsomely married at St. George's, Hanover Square. But least said, soonest mended. Sir Peter, kiss Daphne,

Playing with Her Lap-Dog the While.

and shake hands with Richard."

And as I am a sinner, she actually forced Sir Peter to do both, although I saw he mortally hated it.

Arabella's turn came next. She advanced and said, with a bitterness that struck a chill to my heart:

"Sir Peter, as you know, I was carried off by that wretch who disgraces his uniform, Lieut. Giles Vernon; but he did not succeed in forcing me to consent to a marriage. And I call upon you, as my next friend, to aid me in the prosecution which I shall immediately set on foot against him for the capital offense of the abduction of an heiress; and I hope to bring him to the gibbet for it."

CHAPTER IX.

Lady Arabella Stormont was as good as her word; for that day, two months, Giles Vernon was put upon trial for his life at York assizes for the abduction of an heiress. Sir Peter Hawkshaw refused absolutely to countenance Arabella; and my Lady Hawkshaw, who never had bowed her head or abased her spirit to mortal man or mortal woman before, went upon her knees, imploring Arabella to give over her revenge—for revenge it was, pure and simple—but Lady Arabella laughed at her. Lady Hawkshaw rose from her knees, crying out:

"You have some deep and unknown reason for this; but it will come to naught, it will come to naught!"

But Arabella found a person ready to her hand, who was most active in the matter. This was Sir Thomas Vernon of Vernon court. It was he who lodged the information with the public prosecutor against Giles, and assumed the part of Lady Arabella's champion. Of course, there was some ground for the version of the story which was started in Arabella's interest, that a frightful outrage had been committed by dragging her off against her will; and that only the most determined courage had saved her from a marriage repulsive to her; that Sir Peter and Lady Hawkshaw, her next friends, had basely deserted her; and that Sir Thomas had chivalrously taken up her cause. It is true that the relative characters of the Hawkshaws and Sir Thomas Vernon discounted much of this; but the actual facts in the case looked so ugly for Giles that there was no trouble in securing his prompt arrest and delivery in York jail.

The breach between Lady Arabella and the Hawkshaws, as well as Daphne and myself, was too great to be bridged over; and, having thrown herself, so to speak, in Sir Thomas Vernon's arms, she accepted the protection of a relative of his, one Mrs. Whitall, a decayed gentlewoman, and went to live at a small town near York until the assizes, when she would be called upon as the chief witness for the prosecution. Great stories were immediately put forth that Sir Thomas Vernon was deeply smitten with Arabella's charms, and that, after a visit with Mrs. Whitall to Vernon Court she looked very kindly on Sir Thomas. All this might be true, and Sir Thomas might flatter himself that he had won her favor; but, knowing Arabella well, I did not credit her with any sincere desire to be kind to Sir Thomas Vernon, although she might make him think so, for her own purposes. I suspected, however, a motive far deeper, in any matter connected with Sir Thomas Vernon. Overton was the next heir after Giles; Sir Thomas was extremely rickety, and not likely to be long-lived; and if, by merely telling what had happened, Lady Arabella could sate her resentment, which was deep and furious, against Giles, and at the same time greatly benefit Overton, I think she would not have weighed Giles' life at a penny. My Daphne, whose faith in human nature was angelic, in her belief in ultimate good, prayed and besought Arabella to leave the country before the trial came off; but Arabella only said contemptuously:

"You are a child and a chit. Giles Vernon contemplated doing me the greatest wrong a man can do a woman. Do you think I shall let him go unpunished? If so, how little do you know Arabella Stormont!"

Then I, from loyalty to Giles, and not from any hope I had from Lady Arabella, went to her and made my appeal. She heard all my prayers without the slightest sign of relenting, playing with her lap-dog the while. At last, I said to her:

"Tell me, at least, who is to be benefited by the conviction of Giles Vernon? Not you, certainly; for you will be loathed and shunned by all."

"The person dearest to me in the world," she replied; "the person I love better than my life or my soul," and then, as if she had admitted too much, she stopped, turned pale, and seemed altogether disconcerted. She had, in truth, admitted too much. The person she had ever loved better than her soul was Philip Overton.

I had the self-possession to leave her then, and went off by myself to think over the strange motive which had been revealed to me. Arabella's infatuation for Overton had always been abnormal, touched with unreason. And could fate have woven a closer web around Giles Vernon than in making him fall so madly in love with Arabella Stormont?

Giles had promptly surrendered himself, rightly judging a trial better than being a fugitive from justice and a deserter from the naval service. He repaired to York, after having duly reported to the admiralty, and was jailed immediately, and indicted.

The Hawkshaws, my Daphne and I remained in Scarborough during the two dreadful months that passed before the trial came off. Sir Peter easily got leave from the admiralty for me, hoping, not only that my testimony, but the example of the felicity in which Daphne and I lived, might not be without its effect upon the jury that tried Giles.

Offers of money to assist in his defense came from many quarters and from several ladies—two in especial, her grace of Auchester and Mrs. Trenchard. Lady Hawkshaw, however, claimed the privilege of bearing the expenses of the trial out of her private fortune, which was large. Sir Peter and she had it hot and heavy, he desiring to contribute; and for one of the few times in his life, he carried his point against her. Two great barristers were to be brought from London to assist Giles in his defense, besides another one in York itself.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

CHILD EVINCED REAL HEROISM.

Pathetically Brave in Hour That Brings Terror to Us All.

A pathetic story of a child's heroism is told by a Dublin gentleman. Recently he proposed to drive with his wife to the beautiful Glasnevin cemetery. Calling his son, a bright little boy, some four years old, he told him to get ready to accompany them. The child's countenance fell and the father said:

"Don't you want to go, Willie?"

The little lip quivered, but the child answered, "Yes, papa, if you wish."

The child was strangely silent during the drive, and when the carriage drove up to the entrance he clung to his mother's side and looked up in her face with pathetic wistfulness.

The party alighted and walked among the graves and along the tree-shadowed avenues, looking at the inscriptions on the last resting-places of the dwellers in the beautiful city of the dead. After an hour or so thus spent, they returned to the carriage, and the father lifted his little son to his seat. The child looked surprised, drew a breath of relief and asked:

"Why, am I going back with you?"

"Of course you are; why not?"

"I thought when they took little boys to the cemetery they left them there," said the child.

Many a man does not show the heroism in the face of death that this child evinced in what, to him, had evidently been a summons to leave the world.

Now It Is Different.

"De sayin' 'bout a soft answer turnin' away wrath," said Uncle Eben, "were promulgated in a previous age when dar weren' none o' deshere telephome young ladies sayin' 'Louder, please!'"

For the Hostess

Chat on Topics of Many Kinds, by a Recognized Authority

A Pilgrim Rug Party.

A pilgrim rug party is the very latest fad—shades of our grandmothers! Do you suppose under this disguise they would recognize the old rag carpets which adorned every room? Time has certainly turned backward in its flight and the older the fashion the newer, more up to date it seems to be. The "hit-and-miss" style of rug may somewhat resemble the old rag carpet, but the exquisitely woven ones of blue and white, green and white and green and pink are such artistic things that their relationship to the plebeian rag carpet is remote, save in the method of preparing the materials. Only cotton fabrics are used, and as in the olden day, a pound and a half ball weaves into a rug of a square yard in size. Well, now for the party. It was for a bride-elect, and the cards said "thimbles," so we were prepared to sew. We found piles of dark blue denim strips cut into about an inch wide. These were sewed together and wound into a hard ball. Then there was a pile of white strips—before us was a completed rug. By the time refreshments were served the rags were sewed. The cost of weaving is very small. The bride-elect was delighted with this new fashioned shower.

A Peach Luncheon.

This affair will be seasonable as long as peaches are ripe and the weather favorable, for the invitations read "luncheon served on the lawn," but the hostess will make provision to have the house decorated to give a woodsy, outdoor effect should the day prove inclement.

If the sun shines spread a round table with a dainty cloth under a canopy made from awning material supported at the four corners by stakes driven in the ground. Decorate this sylvan dining room with Japanese lanterns and vines.

For the table centerpiece have a pink enameled basket filled with peaches and leaves; while facsimile peaches done in water color will be the place cards. Use gold or silver ink for lettering the names.

Here is a very attractive menu and withal easy to serve, a fact much appreciated by the cook.

Tomato and herring canapes, jellied chicken, potato croquettes, olives, shrimp salad, delicious peach omelet served with brandied peaches, salted almonds in spung sugar shaped like peach baskets; and for dessert individual peach ice cream served on real peach leaves made of pistachio cream. Peach brandy in tiniest of Venetian glass liqueres finished the repart, with cups of French coffee.

The hostess wore a common frock of pink, with pale yellow trimmings, which is a most Frenchy combination if just the right shades are selected.

A Floral Card Party.

During the summer, whether at the seashore or mountain, people are apt to keep in mind their special charity (and every woman has one these days). Card parties seem to be the most popular way of making money, and this method has proved not only pretty but successful. A floral card party is carried out by giving prizes of potted plants and keeping the score with flowers, either carnations, roses or some blossom that does not wilt quickly.

Invitations are sent for a "floral progressive card party" on cards cut in the shape of a flower. Jonquils, tulips, marguerites and roses lend themselves admirably to the scheme. To the winners pass vases containing the score flowers. At the finish every one will possess at least one or more of the fragrant reminders of their good luck.

The ice cream may be molded in floral shapes, and the small cakes ornamented with candy roses, crystalized violets and rose leaves may be mixed with the bonbons. Each guest is supposed to contribute 25 or 50 cents, whichever sum is agreed upon, to the charity for which the party is given.

For the Baby.

The baby has certainly come into its own these days. There are stork parties galore, and in most of the stores there is a department just for baby gifts. These dainty presents are always more acceptable when accompanied by an appropriate sentiment. Sometimes these quotations are handlettered with water-color decorations. They may be framed or not.

In one of his altogether too infrequent poems Charles Dickens says of children whom he dearly loved:

They are idols of hearts and of households;
They are angels of God in disguise;
His sunlight still sleeps in their tresses,
His glory still gleams in their eyes.
Oh, those truants from home and from heaven,
They have made me more manly and mild,
And I know now how Jesus could liken
The kingdom of God to a child.

Longfellow wrote from the heart when he penned the precious verses entitled "Children," and a gift with a quotation from it that all mothers should know would enhance the value tenfold:

Ye are better than all the ballads
That ever were sung or said;
For ye are living poems,
And all the rest are dead.

A dear mother full of sentiment had this beautiful excerpt taken from one of William Cullen Bryant's poems painted in water colors and hung in the children's nursery:

'Neath the shadow of thy wing
Father, guide them;
Waking, sleeping, Lord, we pray,
Go beside them."

THE MOST PRECIOUS GIFT.

A baby! and life's translucent cup
With its richest wine is brimming up.
Oh, none but a mother has ever quaffed
A cup so sweet, love's richest draught!
A father may know a calm delight,
But a mother has sailed from death to light.

She has touched the brink of heaven's shore,
She has heard its music wafted o'er;
She has brought from that far-off shining strand
A radiant pearl! and the music grand
Has sunk in her heart, and swells through her life,
Till her entire being with rhythm is rife.

She wonders if heaven can hold a bliss
That is deeper still than her baby's kiss,
And she knows that the God
Who's a God of Love,
Has sent her a token from heaven above;
Has strengthened the shining golden chain
That leads all hearts to his own again.

—Miller.

MADAME MERRI.

New Idea in Blouse

SEPARATE waists of an entirely different color are no longer considered fashionable, but they have been so serviceable a part of woman's wardrobe that it is almost impossible to do without the blouse in some form or another, so ingenious dressmakers are endeavoring to disguise separate bodices and make them look as if they were part of the frock, while yet being detachable and fit to wear with other skirts.

For a linen skirt a charming blouse is shown in the second illustration, the linen, of the same color as the skirt, or with touches of that color, being folded across the front and cut in a deep V over a vest of tucked lawn. The vest or guimpe has a Puritan collar, which finds its echo in the cuffs on the plain bishop sleeves. A ribbon girdle with a knot of silk at the side adds a note of color, as does the large button at the fastening of the blouse. The button is of the same color as the belt.

A foulard blouse is pictured in the first illustration, this is to be worn with a high directoire skirt of a similar color as the blouse or the velvet trimming. The blouse is laid in wide box plaits across the front and back and tightly fitted into the waist line. It has loose, long sleeves edged with a ruffle of plaited lawn and a wide embroidered collar. A new note is struck by the velvet ribbon tie which hides the fastening of the blouse, starting with a knot at the collar and continuing to the top of the high skirt. The velvet tie, as has been said, should match the skirt or be repeated in some parts of the dress, either in folds on the skirt, buttons or stockings.

It is this necessity for harmony in color that makes or mars the really fashionable costume. Colors in waists should be repeated on skirts, hats or footwear.

The other two blouses show one of the handkerchief effects. The high tucked blouse is of lawn and insertion and the high-waisted girdle or fichu can be made at the side. The last blouse shows a charming folded arrangement completed by vest and cuffs of white net embroidered with big black spots. The folded material should be of the same color as the skirt, but can be of lighter goods, silk or muslin.

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TRUE RESIGNATION.

Old Maid—Is it really true that marriages are made in heaven?

Doctor—Yes, I believe so.

Old Maid (resignedly)—O, then, doctor, you needn't call again.

Timt to Change Subject.

The Courier-Journal tells of this embarrassing statement made by a well-known Louisville woman who is known as "saying things without thinking." Her daughter was entertaining a young man on the front porch and the mother was standing at the fence talking to the neighbors next door. In the yard of the latter was a baby a little over a year old, and it was trying to walk. "You shouldn't let it walk so young," advised the thoughtless matron. "Wait until it's a little older. I let my daughter walk when she was about that age, and it made her bow-legged." The young man began to talk energetically about the weather.

Sex in Cromwells.

Of course with the sexes on a footing of equality as regarded opportunity, it would not be long until a female Cromwell made her appearance, and, having made her appearance, was getting her portrait painted.

The painter, once more a fawning, courtly fellow, would have the picture a flattery; but she rebuked him in words that became historic!

"Paint in the hips!" she commanded, sternly, showing that she could be more rigidly devoted to the truth than Oliver himself.—Puck.

ORIGIN
Of a Famous Human Food.

The story of the great discoveries or inventions is always of interest.

An active brain worker who found himself hampered by lack of bodily strength and vigor and could not carry out the plans and enterprises he knew how to conduct, was led to study various foods and their effects upon the human system. In other words, before he could carry out his plans he had to find a food that would carry him along and renew his physical and mental strength.

He knew that a food which was a brain and nerve builder (rather than a mere fat maker) was universally needed. He knew that meat with the average man does not accomplish the desired results. He knew that the soft gray substance in brain and nerve centers is made from Albumen and Phosphate of Potash obtained from food. Then he started to solve the problem.

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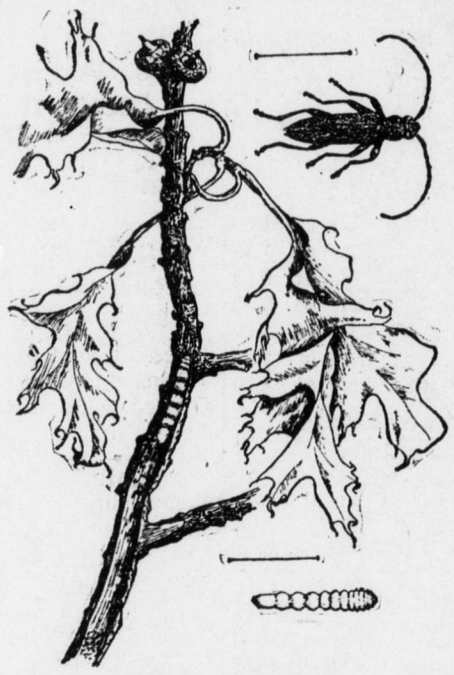
RAVAGES OF BLACK BEETLE AMONG SHADE TREES

Watchful Care in Summer When Destructive Insects Are Laying Their Eggs May Save Our Orchards and Timber.

However desirable it may be to have a judicious pruning of our oaks, we can hardly trust to beetles to do the work as we wish it done, and during the summer of 1908 Elaphidion certainly exceeded the limit and caused much anxiety to owners of oak trees in various parts of the country. Further, since it sometimes attacks the apple and other quite valuable trees, it calls for some attention.

During July one may observe beneath oak trees many fallen twigs and in some instances small branches, with leaves still attached and generally withered, though sometimes still green. A glance into the tree will reveal possibly other twigs hanging suspended with wilting or wilted leaves, not yet dislodged by the wind. The pieces on the ground, when examined, exhibit a clean cut or break at the large end, and if one cuts into the twig with a knife a whitish worm is disclosed lying in the burrow thus opened. This is the larva of the oak pruner, which when full grown is a little more than one-half inch long, and transforms into a blackish or brownish beetle of about the same length.



The Oak Pruner Beetle, Larva and Larva in Burrow.

The life history of this pest is such, evidencing apparently marvelous instinct, that it commands our admiration. The female beetle, according to Fitch, normally lays her eggs in spring or summer on a green succulent twig in an angle between leaf twig and leaf stalk. This action affords the young tender food of the right nature, easily obtained. As the larva grows older it works into the older wood. At this time the "worm" is about half grown.

According to the above writer and others, this larva needs moisture to go through with its transformations to the pulpal and later to the imago stage. This evidently it could not obtain if the twig remained on the tree. It therefore proceeds to cut off the twig which has afforded it a home so that this will lie on the moist earth during the autumn and winter. This is a very nice operation, evidencing apparently, as stated above, remarkable instinct.

Fitch claims that the entire larval and pulpal stage is passed within the twig. From personal observations, however, we are led to believe that such may not always be the case.

Our attention was called by a correspondent last August to the fact that many fallen twigs examined contained no worms. Later, in September, we noted this also, and were not able to find a single larva in any twigs examined, a large number being cut open for examination.

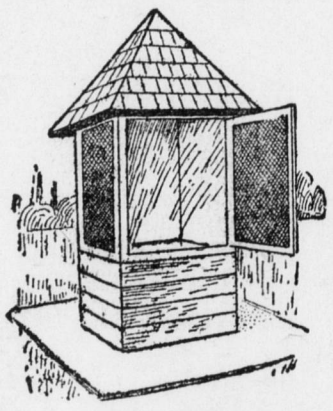
This can hardly be accounted for by the work of insectivorous birds, since they would be unable to reach them in their burrows. In any event the larva is in its burrow when the twig first falls and can then be easily cared for. We therefore suggest the following remedy:

Collect and burn all twigs cut off by this insect as soon as they are found on the ground in July or August. Do not leave this work until the following spring.

PROTECTING WELL FROM INFECTION

Plan for Fixing Curb to Serve as Covering.

A sketch of a plan for fixing an ordinary well curb so as to afford good covering for the well is given by Neil McLean in Prairie Farmer. The ordinary well curb can be made into one of the very best of well coverings if only a little time and money is expended on it. It is just as important that the curb be built so as to prevent a roosting place for sparrows,



A Well Curb Cover.

and to ward off leaves and trash blown about by the wind, as it is to give attention to location and surface conditions when choosing a place for the house well. Make a screen door for the old well curb and cover the remaining sides with ordinary screen wire.

Timothy Hay

Well settled timothy hay measures about 250 cubic feet to the ton, while new hay occupies nearly twice that space. In sale of new hay it is customary to take off about 15 per cent for shrinkage in weight, as compared with barn cured hay.

Remove Useless Stalks.

Flower stalks on rhubarb plants should be removed whenever seen, so that the plants' strength will not be wasted in the useless formation of seeds.

USING CEMENT TO SAVE TREES

Former Method Was Never Successful for Several Reasons.

The former method of working in failing trees with cement was never successful for several reasons. One was that the cement seldom if ever adhered to the wood, so the swaying by wind of the tree very generally made larger the treated crack between it and the wood.

Water penetrated beyond the filling, so the decay increased rather more rapidly than before attempting a remedy.

The improved idea is in removing from the interior all of the rotting mass. There remains only a living shell of sapwood and bark, and into this cavity a steel brace is nicely inserted and bolted in place.

The next important step is to cut watersheds—preventing any moisture from entering. There are deep grooves cut about one inch inside the edge and opening out to the ground below. Cement is packed tightly into grooves, forming a channel down which the water flows.

The cavity is afterward wired throughout thoroughly.

The cement is worked moist, and built out in the tree shape. Any bark that is cut away for an inch or two in order to prevent bruising as the filling is in progress will soon cover the filled spot so a passerby can scarcely detect the wound at all.

In very large cavities the opening is covered by utilizing large strips of zinc.

Nature helps in this kind of new work in trees, for the place soon heals over.

To Get Rid of Vermin.

My hogs got lousy last year before I knew it. I could not afford to build a dipping tank, so I put into three quarts of hot soapsuds one-half pint of kerosene oil, boiled and stirred vigorously for ten minutes. When the emulsion has cooled sufficiently I poured it through a sprinkling can along the backs and over the heads of the pigs. The ticks and lice quickly disappeared, but I repeated the dose twice more during the summer.—J. G. Barnes, Indiana.

THE ONLOOKER

WILBUR D. NESBIT.

THE RAIN SONG

O, the murmuring drip of the rain from the eaves
And the melody sweet that the murmuring weaves!
'Tis a memory-melody born of the heart
In the simplest of strains, of the commonest art,
Yet the drip and the drop of the rain in the night
Times a lyrical linking of laughter and light.

In the drowsiest, dreamiest, dimmest refrain
Comes the song of the summer, of meadow and lane,
Of the bees in the clover, and roses in bloom,
And of breezes that wafted a wondrous perfume—
For the musical drip of the rain murmurs on
In a song of the days that are vanished and gone.

It is sleepily-soft and is solemnly-sweet
As the measures all mellowly rise and repeat,
And in memory now I have journeyed afar
Down the paths of the past where our treasuries are;
And with boyheart athrill I lie hushed in the dusk
While the air brings a tang of the mint and the musk.

And the shadows that sway in their dance on the wall
Keep the time of the tune of the drops as they fall,
Keep the time of the song as of old they would keep
With the drip of the rain as it lulled me to sleep;
And the hush of the night is the silence of old
That had all of the world in its velvety hold.

O, the magic there is in the memories blest
With the ripple of rain as it sings you to rest!
How the worries and weariness falter and cease
'Neath the balsam and balm of the infinite peace
Of the song that is sung by the whispering leaves
And the murmuring drip of the rain from the eaves!

The Virtue of Determination.

Mr. Eli Johnson makes it a rule always to say something pleasant to everyone.

Day before yesterday he approached the ticket window of one of the railway companies to purchase a ticket for his vacation. The agent was hot and busy, and when Mr. Johnson opened with a remark that the agent was looking well the latter cut him short by asking where he wanted to go.

"Atlantic City," replied Mr. Johnson, smiling sweetly. "I was about to observe, sir, that you look as though you were enjoying good health."

The agent slammed the ticket in front of Mr. Johnson and told him the price.

"A man who looks as well as you do ought to be happy," said Mr. Johnson, taking the money out of his purse.

The agent made the change in a flash and shoved it to Mr. Johnson, who was trying once more more to compliment the agent on his appearance.

"Move on and give the others a chance," ordered the agent.

Then a great change came over Mr. Johnson's face. He reached through the window, grabbed the agent by the back of the neck and pulled his head through the opening.

"Now, sir," he hissed, "I've told you six times that you are looking well, and you haven't had the courtesy to thank me for my kindly intentions. If you don't respond properly at once I intend to beat your head off."

The agent gasped out his thanks, and Mr. Johnson released him and left the place, his face beaming with the glow of realizing that he had not been forced to break his life-long rule of being sweet-tempered toward one and all.

To convert the ordinary window into a casement window, get a large box from some merchant, rip it apart and nail the boards across the lower sash. Cover them with some dainty goods. Cut the lace curtains off at the top of the board and hem them with skirt binding. The effect produced will be decidedly novel.

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Languor, listlessness, dullness of spirits are often due to kidney disorders. Pain and weakness in the back, sides and hips, headaches, dizziness, urinary disorders are sure signs that the kidneys need immediate attention.

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WELL DEFINED.

De Quiz—What's your idea of the difference between optimism and pessimism?

De Whiz—O! the optimist says it is spring when it isn't and the pessimist says it isn't when it is.

DREADFUL DANDRUFF.

Girl's Head Encrusted—Feared Loss of All Her Hair—Baby Had Milk-Crust — Missionary's Wife Made Two Perfect Cures by Cuticura.

"For several years my husband was a missionary in the Southwest. Every one in that high and dry atmosphere has more or less trouble with dandruff and my daughter's scalp became so encrusted with it that I was alarmed for fear she would lose all her hair. After trying various remedies, in desperation I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. They left the scalp beautifully clean and free from dandruff, and I am happy to say that the Cuticura Remedies were a complete success. I have also used successfully the Cuticura Remedies for so-called 'milk-crust' on baby's head. Cuticura is a blessing. Mrs. J. A. Darling, 310 Fifth St., Carthage, Ohio, Jan. 20, 1908."

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Next Best.

A certain young minister in Philadelphia, recently ordained, is still very nervous and sometimes his remarks do not convey exactly the meaning he intended. A few Sundays ago he rose, fumbled with the papers on his desk, blushed, and then said:

"My Friends: I—I am sorry to say that I have lost the notes for my sermon, and I therefore cannot deliver it. I will have to do the next best thing, therefore, and read a few chapters from the Bible!"—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

Royal Great-Great-Grandmother.

The birth of a son to the youthful duke and duchess of Sudermania gives to royal Europe what it has not had for more than ten years, namely, a great-great-grandmother. The lady to whom this honor has come is the Grand Duchess Constantine Nicolaievitch, who was, before her marriage, Princess Alexandra of Saxe Altenburg.

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"I came to Hereford four years ago and bought 640 acres of land nine miles southeast of town.

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PLAIN TALK.

"I think she's double-faced!"

"Oh, don't say that! One face like hers is bad enough!"

Mother Bird Drove Boy Away.

People on Main street, Dallastown, Pa., witnessed an amusing sight the other morning, when a curious small boy who climbed into a maple tree for a closer inspection of a nest of young robins was put to flight by an angry mother bird. Discovered by the old bird after he had clambered into the tree the youngster was savagely attacked. The bird pecked viciously at his bare hands and face, causing him to retreat to the ground, and then driving him home.

Another Step Needed.

"I like my house all right," said Luschman, "except for one thing. I guess you'll have to fix that."

"What is it?" asked the architect.

"Several times lately I've nearly broken my neck reaching for another step at the head of the stairs when I got home late, so I guess you'd better put another step there."—Catholic Standard and Times.

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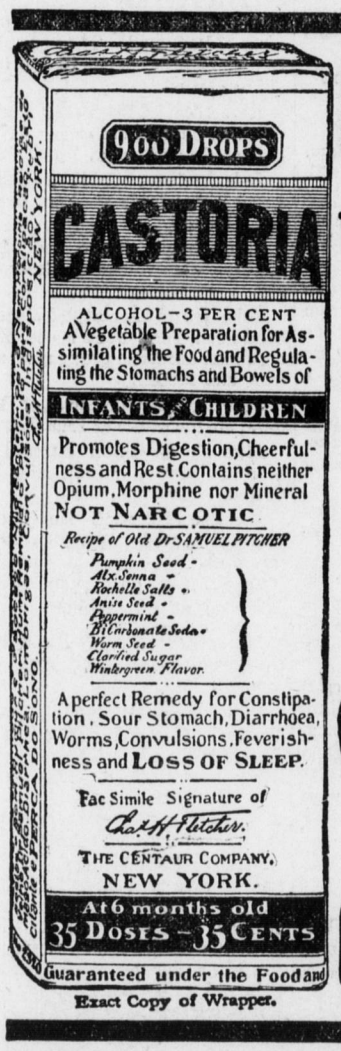
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At 6 months old
35 DOSES – 35 CENTS
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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

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CASTORIA

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

Additional Bargains for our Great July Clearance Sale

We are bound to close out all our Summer Merchandise regardless of cost. Now is the time to save money. In addition to the many items from every department advertised last week we offer the following:

9-4 Very Best Sheeting 29c
This is the very best quality bleached Sheeting, regular 34c kind. Sale price per yard - - **29c**

81x90 Sheets for 74c
Best quality Mohawk bleached Sheets, with wide hem, former price 89c. Sale price - - - - - **74c**

18c Pillow Cases, 14c
Last lot of excellent quality 45x36 bleached Pillow Cases, wide hem, regular price 18c. Sale price each - - - **14c**

Linen Napkins for 3c
Hemmed Linen Napkins 12x12, ready for use. Were made to sell for 10c Sale price each - - - - - **3c**

Bargains in TURKEY RED TABLE CLOTHS
These Table Cloths are best quality, oil boiled, red and white or red and green, fringed. Reg. price $2.00. Sale price **$1.44**
Reg. price $2.25, now - **1.69**

Portiers at Half Price
We are going to close out all our portiers much under cost. Here is a chance for great saving.
$5.00 Portiers, sale price **$2.50**
$4.00 Portiers, sale price **$2.00**

Five and a Half Cents
Best quality American Prints, in light ground with neat figures or dots and gray with black figures, regular 7c quality. Sale price - - - - - **5½c**

Half Price.
All Children's Lawn and Fancy Embroidered Hats, ranging from $1.00 to $3.00, at half price.

EXTRA SPECIAL

$5.98 Ladies Tan Covert Coats for $1.50.

$8.00, $8.50 and $9.00 Ladies Tan Covert Coats for $3.00.

$12 Ladies Tan Covert Coats for $4.50

$13.50 Ladies Tan Covert Coats for $5.00.

These coats are all first class, man-tailored garments, made of excellent material and should be sold quickly at these prices, which are less than the cloth costs.

All our Ladies Cloth Tailor Made Spring Suits Have Been Reduced as Foilows:

All $25.00 Suits, sale price	$17.50
All $22.50 Suits, sale price	$14.50
All $19.50 Suits, sale price	$12.00
All $16.50 Suits, sale price	$10.00
All $13.50 Suits, sale price	8.75
All $12.50 Suits, sale price	7.50
All $10.00 Suits, sale price	6.50

Wash Suits away below Cost
White, light blue, copenhagen, etc.
$5.00 Suits, sale price $3.98
$6.75 Suits, sale price 4.98

Wash Dress Goods
Less than Cost to Manufacture.
50c Shantung silk - 36c
50c Tama Silk - - 29c
25c Pois de Soi, silk dots 15c
16c Lineen Suiting - 12c

EXTRA SPECIAL

Millinery

Now is the time to get hats for almost nothing.

TRIMMED HATS

All $2.00 to $2.50 hats at $1.00
All $3.00 to $3.75 hats at 1.50
All $4.00 to $5.00 hats at 2.00
All $5.50 to $6.00 hats at 2.50
All $6.25 to $7.00 hats at 3.00
All $7.50 to $8.50 hats at 3.50
All $9.00 to $10.00 hats at 4.00

Untrimmed Hats
Dress Shapes
All 50c hats at 10c.
All $1.00 to $1.25 hats at 25c.
All $1.50 to $1.75 hats at 50c.
All $3.50 to $3.00 hats at 75c.

$2 Couch Covers $1.39
These are Bagdad stripes. Sale price. - - ***$1.39***

$2.00 Tapestry Table Cloths for 1.39
Only a few of these indestructable Table cloths, Sale price - - ***$1.39***

39c Table Damask 3Ic
55 inch white Table Damask with turkey red, fast color border. Sale price per yard - ***31c***

59c Corset Covers 49c
Excellent quality Corset Covers, trimmed with embroidery. Sale price - - - - - ***49c***

Bargains in Bed Quilts
$1.00 quality Crochet Quilts, Sale price - - - - - ***81c***
$2.00 quality Marselles Quilts, handsome designs, Price ***$1.69***

25c Neckwear for 10c.
A lot of assorted Neckwear, all 25c goods, sale price 10c.

50c and $1.00 Belts for 25c
An assorted lot of Belts. None in the lot worth less than 50c most of them were $1.00 each. Sale price..... **25c**

10c Lineen Suiting for 8½c
This suiting is finished like linen and is linen color with neat figures or stripes, makes excellent suits. Sale price - - **8½c**

20% off on Child's STRAW BONNETS
All the pretty little straw bonnets in stock are included in this sale..... **20% Off**

2.50 Jap Silk Waists $1.98
These waists are very handsomly trimmed with lace yokes and fronts. Sale price - - - **$1.98**

R. KUEHNE, Emporium's Greatest Store

1-4 Off ON ALL OUR CHILDREN'S SPRING CLOTH TOP COATS
We have yet a splendid assortment to select from. All this season's styles.
1-4 Off Reg. Price

Breezy County News

HUNTLEY.

W. H. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium.

C. W. Barr, of Tunnell Hill, was a pleasant caller in town Sunday.

Mrs. W. R. Smith transacted business in Driftwood Monday.

Mrs. Rufus Miller, of Williamsport, was visiting relatives and friends at this place this week.

The Johnson Re-union, on Wednesday, was a very pleasant affair. All the children gathered home once more with their wives and families, consisting of Albert L., and family, Harry E., and family, of Renovo; Jersey L., and family, and J. Henry, of Jersey Shore; Jesse E., and family, Phineas H., and family, of First Fork; Mrs. Asa Collins and son Russ, of Conneaut, Ohio, and Mrs. Duell, of Dents Run.

Several of our people attended the dedication of the Wesleyan church at Castle Garden on Sunday, 18th. All enjoyed the occasion, especially the able sermon delivered by Rev. Jennings, of Syracuse, N. Y.

The Mason Re-union, which is to be held in August, will be a very pleasant affair if there is no preventing providence, as the committee is now planning for the occasion. They expect to have some good speakers engaged for the day and also the Driftwood band will be there. Let all the Mason relatives be present and enjoy the feast.

The farmers here are very busily engaged in haying at present, but the hay crop is not very promising this year.

L. H. Smith and W. W. Johnson transacted business in Driftwood this week.

Clarence Johnson was an Emporium caller this week.

Daisy Johnson who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. John Witchey, of Renovo, for the [illegible] week, returned home Monday.

B. S.

Cows for Sale.
Several good fresh milch cows for sale; also plenty of cabbage plants, 25c per 100; $1.50 per thousand. Apply at Climax Farm, Emporium, Pa.
18-tf, S. M. VANWERT.

Palmetto Molasses and Globe Syrup in cans at C. B. Howard & Co's.

MEDIX RUN.

W. H. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium.

Mrs. Will Dert and children, of DuBois, is visiting her sister Mrs. Frances, at this place.

May Moon, of Olean, N. Y., is visiting relatives in town.

Guss Snyder and EzraPeters were seen on our streets Sunday.

Helen DeHass, of Benezett, was in town Thursday evening.

Ben Frances, of Hicks Run, spent Sunday with his family at this place.

Mr. Collins, of Austin, was in town on business Tuesday.

J. C. Maloy transacted business in town on Thursday.

Mrs. J. R. Russell is visiting friends at Driftwood.

T. H. Garrity, of this place, was a DuBois visitor Tuesday.

There will be a game of ball between the tannery team and the down town team Saturday. Everybody come and enjoy the afternoon.

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CAMERON.

H. W. Mitchell, dentist, Emporium.

William Wykoff spent Sunday with his family in this place.

The ice cream social held in this place Saturday evening, was well attended. The net receipts amounted to $14.55.

The Calder "swatters" after defeating Sterling Run last week, attacked them again Saturday and were defeated by the score of 12 to 6. But they say they are not satisfied yet, and will arrange for a return game in the near future.

H. H. Burdick, third trick telegrapher at this place, resigned his position and returned to Emporium Sunday, Operator W. J. McCartan relieving him.

Mrs. E. D. Krare and childreb, Mrs. J. Clark and Miss Bennett were Emporium callers Saturday.

Quite a number of berry pickers from Emporium have been seen in this place the past few days, but their pails were not overflowing. Berries evidently are not very plenty this year.

Fred Schwab and nephew went berrying Saturday up the wilds of Hunts Run, expecting to return towards evening, but they became lost in some manner and did not return until Sunday afternoon. They set their berries down while hunting the path and lost them also, so they had exceedingly bad luck all through.

A. A. Smith, signal foreman of Sterling Run, made a business trip to this place Saturday.

D. Robinson, Supt., of the Penn Vitrified Brick Co., is wearing the smile that won't wear off. It's a boy. Dave, we are waiting for the cigars.

LOUISE.

STERLING RUN.

W. H. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium.

Mrs. Emma J. Rolfe, of Elmira, was the guest of Mrs. J. E. Smith, the past week.

Paul Bikle left Tuesday for Ridgway, Roy Page, of Cameron, having accepted the position as electrician at this place.

Mrs. Alice Davis and daughters Helen and Elsie, of Williamsport, are the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. John May.

Mr. Langow, of Williamsport, is visiting in town, guest of Lora and Gladys O'Keefe.

The Children's Day exercises in the M. E. Church, Sunday, was well attended and enjoyed by all. The little folks done extra well.

Albert Smith and family returned home the past week from a two week's visit with friends and relatives in Lock Haven and Beech Creek.

The Sterling Run base ball team played Driftwood, Friday, score 15 to 0 in favor of Driftwood. They played Cameron on Saturday, score 14 to 5 in favor of home team.

Rev. Allen, of Blackwell, former pastor of M. E. Church, was calling on friends in town the past week.

Lulu Lewis returned home Friday from a visit with friends at New Bethlehem and Rockton.

Mrs. Joseph Bruno and daughter Kathryn, were visitors at Renovo Tuesday.

John Kissel has accepted a position at Sand Point, Ills. John is one of Sterling's most estimable young men and we wish him success.

Jennie and Myrtle Stiver, of Youngstown, are the guests of Lulu Lewis.

Miss R. L. Brink returned home Monday from a week's visit at Mt. Gretna.

Randoph Miller and family, of Williamsport, visited relatives in town the past week.

Born—July 9th, 1909, to James Berry and wife, a daughter.

Neva Summerson, of Hicks Run, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. G. Howlett.

The Pine Street School commenced Monday. Miss Francis Barr of Hicks Run is teacher.

BLUE BELL.

Stomach Troubles.
Many remarkable cures of stomach troubles have been effected by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. One man who had spent over two thousand dollars for mediciae and treatment was cured by a few boxes of these tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at Taggart's drug store.

SINNAMAHONING.

W. H. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium.

Mrs. J. V. Strayer went to Lock Haven Hospital, last Saturday, for treatment. She was accompanied by Mrs. J. H. Krebs.

A number of people from here, attended the dedication services at the Castle Garden Church, last Snnday.

Mrs. Martha Robinson, who has been visiting Geo. Shafer and family, returned to Renovo Tuesday.

Colonel Foultz and wife have moved into part of the old Foultz Homestead.

Quite a number of new faces in town, owning to the increased work at the dynamite plant.

Ralph Shafer, wife and daughter visited J. A. Shafer and family a few days this week.

Clyde Bitner, of Lock Haven, spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. Amos Bennett and James Haynes, returned from Duluth, Minn., last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Wm. Huff is visiting Mrs. Geo. Huff and Mrs. Qniggle.

Miss Dent, grand-daughter of R. B. B. Crum, visited on Sunday with her grandparents here.

The skating rink was open last Saturday evening and proved to be the favorite place to spend the evening.

James Haynes is quite ill at his home up the Fork.

Mrs. C. M. Wykoff and Jos. Strayer were called to Lock Haven on account of the serious nature of Mrs. Strayer's illness.

X. X. X.

Farm for Sale.
The Jno. K. Morrison farm, located on West Creek, consisting of 240 acres, about eighty acres improved; plenty of fruit; good farm buildings; natural gas and pure spring water in house, Thirty minutes drive from Emporium. For terms apply to John K. Morrison, Emporium, Pa., R. F. D. 23-tf.

For Sale.
One good light driving horse, three years old; also light harness and buggy. Apply to Herman Johnson, Box 78, East Emporium, Pa. 22-3t.

Quarterly Meeting.

Religious services will be held at the Elk Lick school house, Saturday afternoon and evening, July 24th, and Sunday morning and evening, July 25th. Rev. W. F. Hall, pastor of the new W. M. Church at Castle Garden will be in charge of these services. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

WM. N. OSGOOD,
Pastor of W. M. Church, Rich Valley.

Chronic Rheumatism.
This is the variety of rheumatism that usually attacks the larger joints, knees, hips and shoulders. It is aggravated by cold and damp weather, and for this reason a man afflicted with it can often foretell changes in the weather. Chamberlain's Liniment applied freely and with vigorous rubbing relieves the pain and makes sleep and rest possible. It will also effect a cure, but will not prevent the recurrence of the disease. For sale by Taggart.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills will instantly allay all troubles of the Kidney and Bladder, and will stop the pain caused by these disordered organs. Sold by all druggists.

Delay in taking Foley's Kidney Remedy if you have backache, kidney or bladder trouble, fastens the disease upon you and makes a cure more difficult. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy to-day and you will soon be well. Why risk a serious malady? Sold by all druggists.

Everyone would be benefited by taking Foley's Orino Laxative for stomach and liver trouble, habitual constipation. It sweetens the stomach and breath, gently stimulates the liver and regulates the bowels and is much superior to pills and ordinary laxatives. Why not try Foley's Orino Laxative to-day? Sold by all druggists.

Many people with chronic throat and lung trouble have found comfort and relief in Foley's Honey Tar as it cure stubborn coughs after other treatmen has failed. L. M. Ruggles, Reasnor Iowa, writes: "The doctors said I had consumption, and I got no better until I took Foley's Honey and Tar. It stopped the hemorrhages and pain in my lungs and they are now as sound as a bullet." Sold by all druggists.

If people with symptoms of kidney or bladder trouble could realize their danger they would without loss of time commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. This great remedy stops the pain, and the irregularities, strengthens and builds up these organs and there is no danger of Bright's disease or other serious disordor. Do not disregard the early symptoms. Sold by all druggists.

Kodol will relieve you promptly in the event that you should experience any stomach trouble. Kodol is guaranteed. Sold by all druggists.

Sale of Straw Hats have exceeded our expectation, but have a few leit. If you desire one, call at C. B. Howard & Co's.

Don't forget always a fresh line of Crackers and Cookies at C. B. Howard & Co's.

AUDITORS' REPORT

Of the Receipts, Expenditures, Assets and Liabilities of the Poor Fund of Emporium Borough, for the Year Ending Monday, March 1st, 1909.

F. P. STRAYER, Overseer of the Poor, in account with Poor Fund.

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand last audit	$283 60
Rec'd from John Glenn, Coll. 1908	990 56
Rec'd from John Glenn, Coll. 1907	35 35
	$1,309 51

EXPENDITURES.

Paid relief of Joe Infelt	16 00
Paid relief of A. Yaggi	10 00
Paid relief of Mrs. Detrick	216 85
Paid relief of Tramps	10 72
Paid relief of J. B. Cruickshank	35 00
Paid relief of Mrs. Sam'l Parker	20 00
Paid relief of L. W. Spence	49 00
Paid relief of J. R. Fudge,	55 00
Paid relief of Jack Bell	78 85
Paid relief L. Gifford and J Hitchcock	215 00
Paid Independent, printing auditors' report	24 00
Paid Dr. Smith, medical services	54 00
Balance in hands of F. P. Strayer	525 09
	$1,309 51

F. G. JUDD, Overseer of the Poor, in account with the Poor Fund.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand last audit	$699 23
Rec'd from John Glenn, Coll 1908	800 00
Rec'd from John Blinzler	91 50
	$1,590 73

EXPENDITURES.

Paid relief of Mrs. Mary Mix	$332 19
Paid relief of A. Yaggi	13 00
Paid relief of Orrin Easterbrooks	36 00
Paid relief of Thos. Smith	33 30
Paid relief of Mrs. Carr	49 68
Paid relief of John Romain	5 60
Paid relief of Tramps	21 70
Paid relief of Mary Ellen Mundy	120 00
Paid relief of Thos. Trotter	90 00
Paid relief of Mr. Bellows	2 75
Paid relief of Mrs. Clohessy	15 00
Paid relief of A. Virginia	2 34
Paid State Hospital at Warren	183 00
Paid Green & Felt, retainer 1908	15 00
Paid Cameron County Press, printing auditors' report	24 00
Paid W. L. Thomas, making tax duplicate	5 00
Paid Emporium Machine Co., for lime	1 40
Balance in hands of F. G. Judd	640 77
	$1,590 73

JOHN GLENN, Collector 1908, in account with the Poor Fund of Emporium Borough.

DR.

To amount of duplicate of 1908	$1,821 86
Balance due from 1907	35 35
	$1,857 21

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By amount paid F. P. Strayer	$1,025 91
By amount paid F. G. Judd	800 00
By amount of exonerations	31 30
	$1,857 21

RECAPITULATION.

ASSETS.

Balance in hands of F. P. Strayer	$525 09
Balance in hands of F. G. Judd	640 77
	$1,165 86

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Borough of Emporium, Pa., hereby certify that we have examined and audited the accounts of the Poor Masters of said Borough and find the foregoing a correct statement of their accounts and of the Poor Fund.

GEO. A. WALKER, JR.,
I. K. HOCKLEY,
GRANT S. ALLEN,
Borough Auditors.

June 15th, 1909.—22-3

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KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE HONEY AND TAR
Red Clover Blossom and Honey Bee on Every Bottle.